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SON ACCUSED BY DAD OF THEFT HAS CHARGES DROPPED

• Basingstoke Independent councillor Matthew Ellery

A BASINGSTOKE councillor who was frogmarched to the police station accused of stealing by his own dad from his antiques shop says he has been 'left in pieces' after charges were dropped.

The Observer reported in February that 21-year-old Matthew Ellery was arrested on suspicion of thieving valuables from Squirrels Antiques and Collectors' Centre in New Street.

The shop is owned by his father, Alan Stone, the leader of Ukip's Basingstoke branch.

Police confirmed on Monday that charges against Cllr Ellery have been dropped due to lack of evidence.

Cllr Ellery exclusively told the Observer: "The impact of this ordeal has been huge and it has seriously affected me, both personally and professionally.

"It's damaged my character and left me in pieces to think that people I am very close to thought I was a thief."

Cllr Ellery switched from representing Ukip to becoming an Independent councillor for Brighton Hill South after the allegations were made.

He said Mr Stone, 50, walked with him to Basingstoke Police Station under the pretence of giving a statement, but he was arrested instead.

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Mr Stone declined to respond to the Observer on the matter.

At the time Mr Stone was in the running to become Basingstoke MP in the build-up to May 7's elections – won by Conservative Maria Miller - and he was a candidate for a seat on Basingstoke and Deane Borough Council.

Cllr Ellery accused his dad of using the allegations as a political stunt to boost his popularity - because Cllr Ellery was elected to Basingstoke's council last year amid accusations he called women of Basingstoke "pug ugly" in a Facebook post.

He said he was in Venice with his partner when the theft story was leaked to press.

Cllr Ellery added: "I wholeheartedly believe the arrest was planned as a part of his campaign. He rang me up to apologise on the morning of the Daily Mail release and stated 'it wasn't meant to come across that way' as it was portrayed rather accurately by them that he had done this purely for political circumstances."

However Mr Stone previously denied this claim.

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• Ukip Basingstoke leader Alan Stone

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£7m expansion for Basingstoke schools

• Great Binfields Primary School is to get £3.8 million to build six extra classrooms

MORE than £7million has been pledged to expand two schools across Basingstoke by 2018.

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The £7.4m will help Great Binfields Primary School in Chineham and Marnel Community Infant and Junior Schools in Popley build classrooms for 360 extra pupils between them.

Another three schools in Hook and Hartley Wintney will also get £9.4m as part of the cash boost from Hampshire County Council's capital programme of school improvements.

The £3.8m will see six new classrooms and a new learning resource centre built at Great Binfields Primary School.

It would then become a two-form entry school increasing from 270 to 420 pupils.

Headteacher Jules Rogers said: "We're delighted to be expanding and moving to two form.

"We're already a growing school, so having this change won't represent too much of a big challenge for our staff.

"Even though more people will be attending, we're still confident of maintaining a similar 'community feel' about the school."

Marnel Community Infant and Junior Schools in Popley will expand from 270 and 360 places to 360 and 480 places respectively at a cost of around £3.6m.

Classrooms, a community room, resource area and two group working rooms will be built for both to become four form entry schools rather than three.

The extensions are due to be completed before the start of the 2016 to 2017 school year.

Hampshire County Council executive member for education, Peter Edgar said: "Hampshire has a strong track record of planning and for providing high quality teaching and learning spaces for pupils and their teachers.

"These projects are part of that investment and will meet the ever increasing demand for school places."

Hook Infant and Junior Schools will get £4.9m to expand to 360 places at the infant school and 420 at the junior school.

The plans include new classrooms for the infants school and revamped main entrances and halls for both.

In Hartley Wintney, Oakwood Infant School will grow to three form entry for 270 places at the school with £2.3m for four new classrooms, specialist teaching space and a group work room.

While Greenfields Junior School in Hartley Wintney will also grow to a three form entry school, for 360 places, at a cost of £2.2m for four new classrooms.

Multiple hit-and-run victim named

A MAN who died after being hit by more than one car while walking along an A road near Popham was named by police on Monday as 27-year-old Lee Jones.

He was killed after being hit by multiple cars as he walked alongside the A303 by Popham services last month.

Mr Jones was originally from Northampton, but had recently been living in Basingstoke.

His family described him as a "much loved son and brother who will be truly missed".

The crash occured at about 12.20am on May 23.

Hampshire Constabulary confirmed an investigation into the collision is ongoing.

Sergeant Gabe Snuggs said: "Did you see a man trying to cross the road or walking alongside it?

"Maybe you saw something unusual in the carriageway or perhaps struck something but weren't sure?

"We've already spoken to a car driver and an HGV driver and identified further lines of enquiry and further potential witnesses.

"These include two or three vehicles that would have potentially passed the man in lane two of the eastbound side of the carriageway at Popham just before the services.

"We'd also like to hear from any potential witnesses who may have swerved to avoid a cone we're told was in lane one just before this section."

Anyone with information is asked to call Sergeant Snuggs at Eastleigh police station on 101 quoting Operation Bucklesham.

News Bites

Charity ball

HOOK: About £2,000 has been raised after a charity ball in Hook.

The event was organised by sisters Louise Buckland, Karen Stokes and Mary Dempster to raise money in the fight against cancer.

All the proceeds went to charities Macmillan Cancer Support and St Michael's Hospice Basingstoke.

The ball, at Highfield Park in Heckfield on May 30, included a three-course sit down meal, an auction, raffle and a disco.

Event organiser Louise Buckland said: "We like many others, have lost loved ones due to cancer.

"And we wanted to give something back as a family to the charities that have helped us along the way."

Drivers stopped

BASINGSTOKE: A total of 64 different drivers were stopped on roads around Basingstoke by Whitchurch police in a week-long clamp down on 'distraction drivers'.

Officers mainly targeted drivers using their phones.

The county-wide campaign by Hampshire Constabulary caught more than 140 drivers between Saturday, May 23, and Friday, May 29.

Radio bells

ODIHAM: An Odiham church will host the broadcast of a weekly Radio 4 show this Sunday as part of the village's Magna Carta celebrations.

Sunday Worship will be recorded at All Saints' Church in The Bury at 8.10am.

The ringing of the church bells will also make it onto the air as part of the Bells on Sunday programme at 5.45am.

The church will then join churches from Hampshire, Berkshire and Surrey in ringing the bells from 12.15pm as a celebration of the sealing of the Magna Carta 800 years ago.

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World record attempt's false start Down Under

IT will be world record attempt take two for Basingstoke adventurer Captain Ketch this weekend, after a frustrating start to his Indian Ocean row.

By **Christian Wilson**
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James Ketchell and sidekick Ashley Wilson had to be towed back to Australia just 70 miles and 24-hours into their mammoth challenge on May 18, after their navigation system packed in.

But at least their failed first attempt has paved their way to becoming Australian celebrities.

Serial adventurer Mr Ketchell – dubbed Captain Ketch – said: "It has really played into our hands as everyone in Australia now knows what we're doing.

"I'm a true believer in everything happening for a reason and have already gone past frustration to be honest.

"It's been a real pain and cost us a lot of extra money but it's really raised our profile which is the main thing."

He and Mr Wilson are geared up to try and smash the world record by rowing 3,600 miles from Australia to Mauritius across shark-infested waters.

And they also have the added challenge of handling Mr Wilson's epileptic seizures.

But the boat is now being repaired after it was caught in choppy waters and damaged while being towed back to the Australian coastline in Geraldton.

The pair are now preparing to launch attempt number two on either Friday or Saturday.

For someone who has singlehandedly rowed across the Atlantic, climbed Mount Everest and cycled through 20 countries in the last five years, you would think 33-year-old Captain Ketch could enjoy a few days of rest.

But anyone that has met him will know that the last three weeks have been massively frustrating for the Basingstoke adventurer.

And even more so as a result of the promising start they had made, before their GPS system broke.

But Captain Ketch is confident he and Mr Wilson's names will make it into the history books.

He said: "It's a shame because we were absolutely flying on the first day and were going at nearly double the pace of the current record.

"The boat was working an absolute dream until the problems."

Captain Ketch and Mr Wilson, who lives in Wickham, are also raising money for the Elifar Foundation, The Scout Association and children's charity Young Epilepsy, while on their mission to prove that having epilepsy is not a hindrance.

But while many were expecting that his rowing partner's condition would prove the main challenge of the trip, another one of the biggest obstacles set to confront Captain Ketch over the next few weeks could be finishing his own dinner.

He added: "I was driving from Perth to Geraldton the other day eating a Curly Wurly bar and managed to break half of one of my teeth.

"I've been to the dentist to sort it, but hopefully that'll be the worst thing that happens to either of us on this trip!

"It's been a fantastic experience so far, but this is it now– we need to make this run count."

To donate or to follow their progress, visit nothings-impossible.co.uk.

· The pair being interviewed

· James Ketchell (right) and Ashley Wilson (left) have become Australian celebrities

News Bites

Inquest moved

POPHAM: An inquest into the deaths of a mum and dad in a Popham plane crash has been set for July 21.

Lewis and Sally Tonkinson were killed on January 4 after the light aircraft they were piloting came down in woods near North Waltham.

Their six-year-old son suffered serious injuries but survived.

A spokesman for North East Hampshire Coroners told the Observer an inquest would take place in September but it has since been set for July 21 at 9.20am at the Basingstoke Law Courts in New Road.

School building

WHITCHURCH: Plans have been submitted for a new temporary building at a Whitchurch school.

Hampshire County Council applied to Basingstoke and Deane Borough Council on May 11 for permission to help provide more classrooms for Whitchurch Church of England Primary School in Daniel Road to take in an extra 15 pupils for 2015 to 2016.

Swim classes

BASINGSTOKE: Residents over 55 years old can get free swimming lessons.

The 30 minute lessons start on June 18 and will run from 2.45pm and 3.15pm every Thursday for 10 weeks at Basingstoke Sports Centre.

Those who finish the course get a free 30 day pool pass.

To book, call Amy Sambell on 01256 845752.

'I'm just pleased I can now move on'

• *From front page*

Cllr Ellery explained he had been left feeling "hurt and disappointed".

"I have always been the closest to him out of all of his children, but after all of this, that is no longer the case," he added.

"The family that matters to me has supported me."

The alleged theft was between October last year and January.

He continued: "I am just pleased I can now attempt to move forward. The impact of this ordeal has been huge and there is lasting and continued damage to my character. People have actively been telling others that I am guilty, which has caused a high level of stress whilst I opted to remain silent.

"I have faced a lot of negativity from various people some of which I have been very close to. This has seriously damaged my career and has left me in pieces knowing that people believed this and spread the story around Basingstoke and nationally."

· Councillor Matthew Ellery

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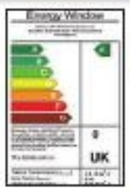

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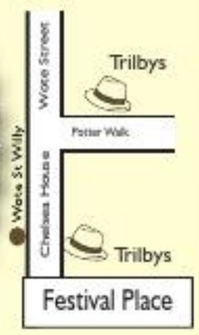

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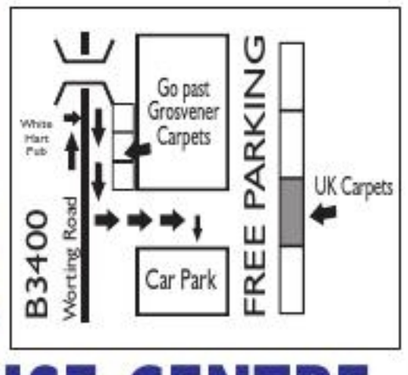

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£3.5million cemetery plans are submitted

A TOWN leader has accused Basingstoke's council of making a mistake in pushing forward with £3.5million plans to build a new cemetery on the edge of town.

Basingstoke and Deane Borough Council submitted a planning application last month to turn 16 acres of agricultural land in North Waltham into a cemetery with a chapel.

The new plot next to North Waltham Crematorium in Stockbridge Road is earmarked as a replacement for Worting Road Cemetery, which is expected to be full within five years.

But as the site is over seven miles away from the town centre connected by two number 55 bus per day, Basingstoke and Deane borough councillor for Norden, Paul Harvey, criticised the decision to submit the plans.

By **Christian Wilson**
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Cllr Harvey said: "My main concern is the accessibility of the new site for every day people.

"Anyone who wants to pay their respects to loved ones simply won't be able to get there on the current bus network and that's wrong."

But the council's portfolio holder for regulatory services and the environment, Hayley Eachus, said: "This location seems the best option for the future, so submitting this planning application is an opportunity to test whether this is a good site for the new cemetery."

The site was chosen by the council's cabinet in September 2014, with a £15,000 a year taxi share transport initiative suggested to try and address the distance problem.

The council has said it is also looking into alternative sites in case the plans are rejected.

But Cllr Harvey feels the council has gone so far with the North Waltham plans that they are now the only realistic option.

He said: "They've well and truly put all their eggs in one basket and have made a mistake by failing to look at other, better locations.

"The council has gone so far now that we need to deal with the situation by finding better transport links."

The planning application states 23 sites were considered.

If approved, the council would need to buy the land from a local landowner.

The first of three phases to convert the land would be completed by 2019, the second by 2021, and the third – including the chapel – by 2030.

Residents can examine the plans and give feedback at a public exhibition next Wednesday, June 17, from 5pm to 8pm at Rathbone Pavilion in Church Road, North Waltham.

A target decision date has been set for August 14.

• Worting Road Cemetery is expected to be full by 2020

Tickets needed for free short-stay parking to avoid fines fines from August

FROM August drivers will have to display tickets in their cars for free half-hour stints at council town centre car parks.

Basingstoke and Deane Borough Council issued a warning to residents on Thursday that tickets will have to be shown even for free half-hour parking to avoid a fine.

Previously tickets were only needed for stays of over 30 minutes.

Robert Tate, council portfolio holder for communities, service delivery and improvement, said: "Free car parking has helped to encourage people, who may have been put off by the cost of short term parking in the past, to support their local shops and businesses by making it even easier to nip into the Top of the Town for a quick shopping trip.

"By now introducing a ticket we can make sure this incentive is being used fairly by all."

Free half an hour parking was introduced last year across all council-owned short stay car parks in the town centre.

The free 30 minutes is available from Monday to Saturday between 8am and 6pm at Albert Yard, Castons Yard, Feathers Yard, Jacobs Yard, and Joices Yard car parks.

A £1 flat charge still applies in the evenings and on Sundays.

The charge for 30 minutes parking at long stay car parks in Basingstoke town remains at 50p, with one hour parking also frozen at £1.

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MP speech

HAMPSHIRE: North East Hampshire MP Ranil Jaywardena gave his first speech in the Chamber of the House of Commons last Wednesday.

The former deputy leader of Basingstoke and Deane Borough Council said: "It was a really special occasion for me to speak for the first time. I thank my constituents for the strong mandate they have given me in electing me to serve them."

Basingstoke Roll

BASINGSTOKE: Local charity, the Basingstoke and District Disability Forum, is holding its annual flagship event 'The Basingstoke Roll' this month.

It includes a scavenger hunt in Top of Town with prizes for the winning team.

Anyone is welcome to attend on Friday, June 19, from 1pm until 4pm, but each team must have four people or fewer and contain a wheelchair user.

The event will be followed by the opening procession of the Basingstoke Festival.

Sun Run

BASINGSTOKE: Frozen stars Elsa and Anna will be on hand to help set off a children's charity 5k Sun Run on Sunday.

Sebastian's Action Trust's fundraiser starts at 11am from Basingstoke's Down Grange Sports Complex in Pack Lane.

The Sussex-based charity runs The Bluebells respite home in North Waltham.

People of all ages are invited to attend and walk, jog or run around the course.

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World Party is in town

BASINGSTOKE'S World Party is bringing a celebration of cultures to Eastrop Park next Saturday, June 20.

· Bollywood dancing

Festivities are back for the fifth year from 11.30am until 5pm with more than 20 different performers from all across the world.

Residents will be treated to a variety of performances – including Chinese opera, Russian singing, Brazilian capoeira and Bollywood dancing, as well as workshops, face painting, henna and crafts.

World Party is being run by charity Basingstoke Multicultural Forum (BMF) alongside Basingstoke and Deane Borough Council to showcase rich cultural heritage.

BMF trustee Toju Ogbe said: "Basingstoke has become more culturally diverse over the last decade and World Party presents a viable opportunity to harness and celebrate this diversity.

"This year's event promises to be a fun filled family experience – it will be like a trip around the world in one day."

Beating cancer with pedals and pounds

A CHINEHAM businessman who lost both his mum and dad to cancer is set to cycle over 250 miles from London to Paris next month as a tribute to his late parents.

By **Christian Wilson**
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Mick Thompson will attempt to pedal his way through the south of England and northern France in aid of Macmillan Cancer Support after losing his mum Liz Thompson to the devastating disease last January.

Mrs Thompson's death from stomach cancer came just over 10 years after husband Neville also lost his battle with the illness in 2003.

Having seen first hand the crippling effect the disease has had on his family, 53-year-old cycling fanatic Mick has decided to lend his support in the fight against cancer the best way he knows how – by getting on his bike.

· Mick Thompson's parents Neville and Liz Thompson

He said: "They were both such great people.

"Dad was the funniest person I've ever known and he always managed to make me and my four brothers laugh.

"And mum was a great human being and fantastic person.

"She was really religious and dad was an atheist like me, so I have no idea how they ended up together!

"But I'd like to think that they'll both be looking down on me when I'm on the road."

The PR business owner will leave London on July 1 alongside a group of 50 people before hitting the road and cycling the 278 miles to Paris, a journey he has made twice in the past - in 2005 and 2006.

He added: "Some people can't see how I'll be able to cycle that far, but I don't see how people can run marathons.

"It's obviously a long way and it won't be easy, but I know what I'm in for and am confident that I'll be able to do it, even with my bad knee.

"I'll do anything to get to that finish line, even if it kills me."

· Mick Thompson

He has so far raised £2,254 for the cancer charity, and was quick to thank the public for their support during what he admitted had been a very difficult time.

To donate or for more information, visit justgiving.com/mick-thompson2015.

News Bites

Think Safe

BASINGSTOKE AND DEANE: Nearly 1,500 year six children across Basingstoke and Deane will learn about staying safe at a council-run event over the next two weeks.

The Think Safe event started on Monday at Bramley Training Camp in Campbell Road.

Each child will participate in a variety of sessions run by Hampshire Constabulary, the Safer North Hampshire Team, the Royal National Lifeboat, Trading Standards officers, the Fire and Rescue Service and the British Red Cross.

Sessions include talks on fire safety, first aid, stranger danger, cyber safety and sea safety.

Girl found safe

BASINGSTOKE: A missing 14-year-old girl from Southampton was found safe and well in Basingstoke on Sunday.

Police were searching for Paige Leslie following her disappearance on Sunday, May 31 but she was found seven days later in Basingstoke.

Roadwork plans

BASINGSTOKE: The M3 junction 7 southbound exit and entry slip roads will be closed overnight between 9pm and 6am until Monday, June 22, for work to strengthen the hard shoulder between junctions 6 and 7 near Basingstoke.

The M3 southbound will also be closed off junction 6 between 9pm and 6am tomorrow, June 11, for work to install sensors to reduce congestion at Black Dam roundabout.

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Volunteer tea

HAMPSHIRE: Nearly 200 volunteers took a well-deserved tea break last week from their work at hospitals in Basingstoke, Winchester and Andover.

Volunteers were provided with free tea and cakes to celebrate National Volunteers Week, which took place from June 1 to last Sunday.

Over 500 volunteers provide more than 4,000 hours of service each month at each of the Hampshire Hospital Foundation Trust hospitals.

Fallen heroes

BASINGSTOKE: A Basingstoke writer who researched the 233 men from Basingstoke who died during the First World War is hosting a talk on his findings at the Willis Museum next week.

David Stewart will present "Researching the fallen of Basingstoke" at the Top of Town museum on June 18.

He spent over two years studying the lives and deaths of all of the local heroes who perished in the conflict.

Using ancestry websites he wrote summaries about their family, birthplace and the regiment they served in.

Admission is £2, or free to Friends of the Museum.

Father's day

BASINGSTOKE: Hobbycraft Basingstoke is hosting workshops to make cards this Saturday for Father's Day.

Sessions at the store in Winchester Road run from 11am to 2pm ahead of Father's Day on Sunday, June 21.

Megan not the type to be stopped by diabetes

By **Christian Wilson**
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THE prospect of moving up to the big world of secondary school is one that fills just about every youngster with a sense of dread.

But it's fair to say making that big step while also juggling a serious condition and four daily injections is one that would daunt anyone – no matter what their age.

Except Hatch Warren Junior School pupil Megan Brooker, who at the age of just 11 has already taken on a much scarier challenge and passed with flying colours.

Megan was diagnosed with type one diabetes in February last year and has been fighting to live a normal life every day since – taking around 2,000 injections along the way.

But mum Helen Brooker confirmed her daughter is now counting down the minutes to her first day at Brighton Hill Community School in September.

Mrs Brooker said: "Megan found it really difficult to manage her illness for the first few months and you could see it affected her.

• Hatch Warren 11-year-old Megan Brooker and mum Helen

"But she's doing much better now and has gained all of her confidence back – you can see she's going to be a leader when she's older.

"Now she's really excited about starting at her new school, although hopefully the fact that she'll be one of the smallest there won't be too intimidating for her."

Type one diabetes is an inherited lifelong condition that causes a person's blood sugar level to become too high.

Sufferers have to take regular insulin injections to counteract this.

If not treated properly diabetes can cause the sufferer to lose consciousness or complications with nerves and organs.

And ahead of 'Diabetes Week', which starts this Sunday, mum-of-two Mrs Brooker has called for a cure to be found.

The 41-year-old has raised £6,000 this year for charity Diabetes UK by running the London Marathon in April and organising a fun run at Down Grange athletics track two months earlier.

She added: "We had no reason to believe Megan had diabetes, because nobody in our family has it.

"The whole point of my fundraising was to find a cure for the illness and to find out more about what triggers it."

Candidate's Corner

Alan Stone

Leader of Basingstoke's Ukip branch

Ukip on the EU referendum

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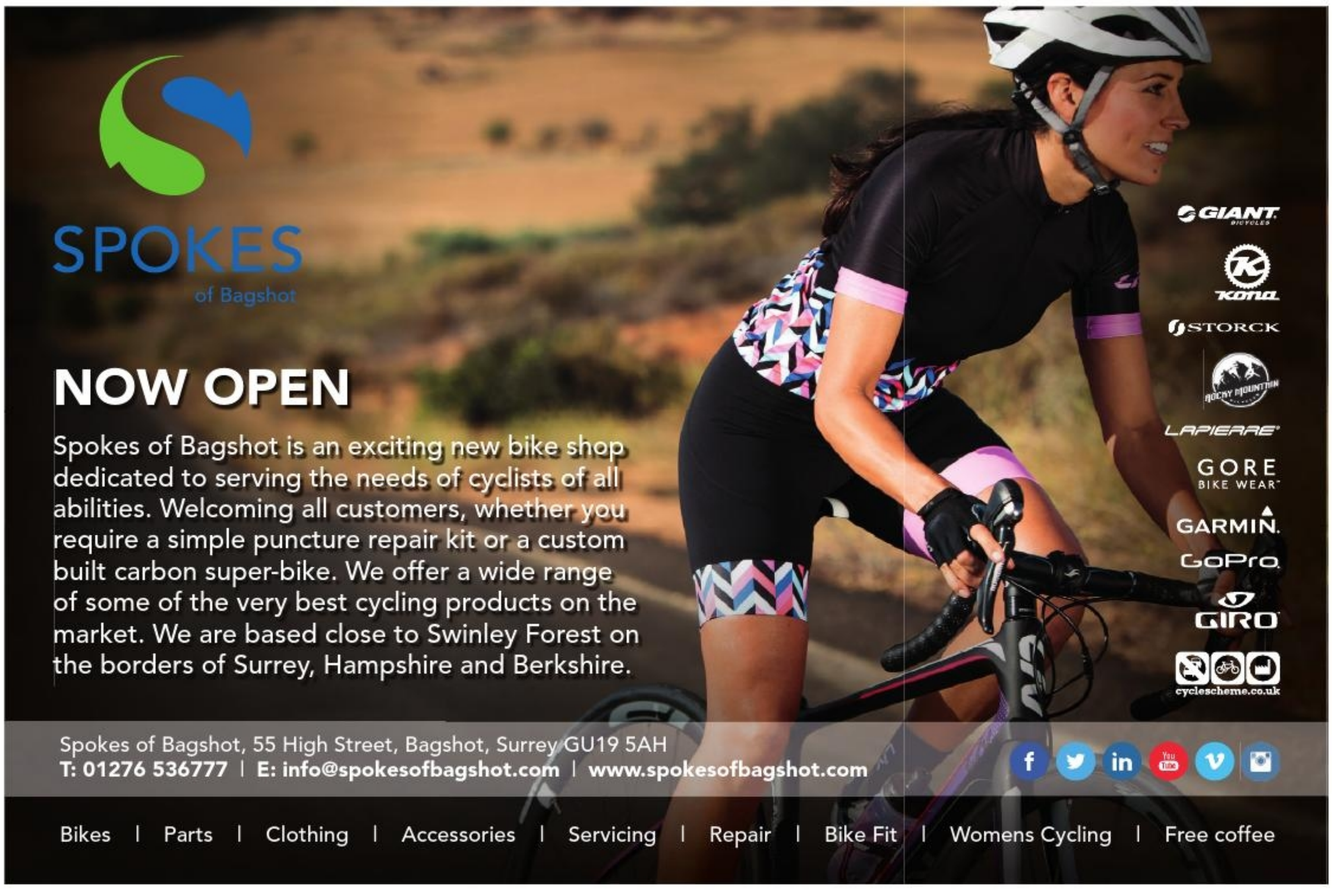
Spokes of Bagshot sponsors local Touring Car legend Rob Collard

SPOKES of Bagshot has today announced its support for local touring car driver, Rob Collard. The brand new Surrey based bike shop is supporting Rob with a top of the range Storck Aernario Disc road bike which he will use to train on to help maintain his fitness for his racing.

Rob races in the top flight of saloon car racing in the fiercely fought British Touring Car Championship, finishing sixth overall in 2014. Competing this year in West Surrey Racing's Team JCT600 with Gardex BMW 1 series he's enjoyed a positive start to the season with a win in the opening race of the year and a podium at his local circuit at Thruxton.

Managing director James Thompson comments: "Spokes is really excited about this partnership. Cycling and motorsport have always had a great synergy. Storck in particular have recently done some special projects with Mclaren and Aston Martin. Their precision engineering, innovation and technology is at the forefront of bicycle design. We are delighted to support Rob. He is one of the most experienced, successful and most recognised drivers in BTCC so it's great to have our brand attached to him, particularly at this early stage of our business. We wish him every success with the race season and hope he loves his new bike"

Hampshire based Rob Collard, who owns R Collard Ltd, a leader in waste recycling and demolition commented: "The BTCC demands an exceptional level of fitness and stamina from all of the drivers on the grid. Cycling has become a core part of my training regime in the last few years including an annual trip to Majorca in the winter to spend several days in the mountains on my bike. I've no doubt that with Spokes' support through access to the latest in precision kit from Storck I'll continue to maintain and build on my fitness as I pursue my goals in motorsport."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Teenager seriously injured in car crash

A TEENAGE girl from Basingstoke was rushed to hospital with life-threatening injuries last Tuesday after a serious car crash.

The 17-year-old unnamed girl was sat in the front passenger seat of a red Nissan Micra when it collided with a red Peugeot 406 on the A33 at Kings Worthy, near Winchester.

She was rushed to Southampton General Hospital but is understood to now be in a serious but stable condition.

Two other people from Basingstoke were also in the car at the time.

The driver, a 22-year-old man, and a 17-year-old man sat in the back seat suffered minor injuries.

The crash took place shortly before 7pm last Tuesday evening on the A33 southbound carriageway, close to the A34 junction.

Two men in the Peugeot from Winchester, aged 62 and 60, also suffered minor injuries.

Hampshire Constabulary are investigating the incident and have appealed for anyone who witnessed the crash or saw either of the cars prior to the collision to come forward.

Anyone with any information should contact Sergeant Bates or PC Gunby at the Whitchurch Roads Policing unit, quoting Operation Price, on 101.

Runners step out for Basingstoke hospice

BASINGSTOKE town centre was filled with the sound of runners pounding the pavement on Sunday morning.

By **Christian Wilson**
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Around 300 people laced up their trainers to take up the unique challenge of the third annual Brackenwood Festival 5k.

The unusual route saw runners circle around Festival Place shopping centre, before snaking through Top of Town, Eastrop Park and Basing View.

Racers varied from 14 to 76 years old.

Eastrop 17-year-old Dylan Bardell was first to cross the line in a time of 17 minutes and 46 seconds.

• Women's winner Mitch Lloyd (left) taking a 'strawfie' with Miss Basingstoke

The first woman to finish was Basingstoke and Mid Hants Athletic Club runner Mitch Lloyd, who finished in a time of 20 minutes and 21 seconds.

The Petra Jewellery shop owner ran with two colleagues.

She said: "It was a brilliant day and was so lovely to see all the other runners on show.

"I normally run a little bit faster but I'm pleased with my time all in all.

"I ran in the South Downs Way 100 miles relay the day before, so I was a bit tired, but I was determined not to let my shop down."

The winners received a trophy and a £50 Festival Place shopping voucher, with the awards being presented by Basingstoke and Mid Hants Athletics Club life vice-president Ian Byett, who also provided commentary for the event.

Mr Byett said: "I know Dylan very well because I coach him and so I'm delighted for him to win as he's a great up-and-coming runner.

"It's great to see that running is continuing to grow in the area and clubs are starting to crop up all over Basingstoke."

• The Brackenwood Festival 5k (picture by Marcus Leon)

Non-profit organisation Destination Basingstoke organised the race which raised money for the event's chosen Basingstoke charity St Michael's Hospice.

The event also saw people lend their support to cystic fibrosis week by joining Miss Basingstoke, Nicola Ascroft, to take part in a 'strawfie' challenge before the race began.

The campaign aims to raise awareness of the genetic disorder by encouraging people to experience sufferer's struggle breathing by breathing through a straw while pinching their nose - and taking a selfie to spread the message on social media.

Miss Ascroft said: "So many individuals and groups tried the challenge and took a strawfie selfie picture.

"Thank you so much to Brackenwood Festival 5k and Destination Basingstoke for creating such a fantastic opportunity to increase knowledge about cystic fibrosis in the local community."

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Italian market

BASINGSTOKE: An Italian food market will arrive in Top of Town tomorrow and Friday.

The market will run from 9am to 4pm each day in Wote Street and Market Place, with a selection of cheeses, cooked meats, salami and Italian breads on offer, among other items.

The Italian market follows on from a successful French market last month.

Lottery numbers

BASINGSTOKE AND DEANE: St Michael's Hospice has announced winners of its latest lottery draw from June 5.

First prize of £1,000 goes to ticket 95005 of Basingstoke, while ticket 27536 of Whitchurch claims second prize of £100.

Third prize of £50 goes to Bramley ticket 45928, and Hook ticket 89914 gets fourth prize of £20.

Prizes of £5 go to 02901, 06242, 21271, 26604, 42535, 48793, 49257, 52887, 60774, 67671, 67988, 69201, 70171, 70217, 70866 and 89716.

Care home day

OLD BASING: Basingstoke Court Residential Care Home in Old Basing is hosting an open day this month.

The care home in Huish Lane will be putting on a swinging 1960s-themed day on June 19, with staff dressed in outfits of the times, a band playing all sorts of '60s summer classics and a free barbecue for residents, relatives and visitors.

Entry is free for the day, which starts at 2pm.

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The X Factor: science style

A BASINGSTOKE education charity will be searching for teenagers with a scientific kind of X Factor tomorrow.

About 300 teenagers from schools across Hampshire will try their hand at a series of experiments at renowned workshop TeenTech.

The nationwide initiative aims to find youngsters with the talent to forge future careers in science, engineering and technology.

TeenTech co-founder Maggie Philbin said: "Many people have the idea that innovation only takes place on the West Coast of America, whereas some of the UK's most exciting companies are right here on their doorstep in Basingstoke and North Hampshire."

TeenTech in Hampshire is run by educational charity Basingstoke Consortium, which works with schools and businesses to develop young talent.

CEO Sue Riley said: "TeenTech is such a wonderful opportunity for local schools.

"Nowhere else could young people gain access to such cutting-edge technology, aspirational business ambassadors and inspirational leaders."

The event is at the Hampshire Court Hotel in Chineham from 9.50am to 2.40pm.

Teenagers will be given the chance to have a go at various experiments, brainstorm ideas and create inventions for the future in 2050.

Spiderdad wins town's top award

A SUPERDAD honoured last Wednesday at a ceremony for the most inspirational people across Basingstoke said 'my son is the complete inspiration behind everything, not me'.

Mike Wilson, from **Beggarwood**, picked up the Judges' Special Award at Basingstoke's A Place To Be Proud Of Awards at The Haymarket theatre - in tribute to his five-year-old son Jayden.

Dad and son grabbed the headlines last year after leaping from a rooftop dressed as terminally ill Jayden's favourite superhero Spiderman as a birthday surprise.

Jayden was diagnosed with a terminal brain tumour and tragically died on Christmas Eve.

• Mike Wilson during the freerunning performance

By **Christian Wilson**
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But his father ensured his legacy will live on after a video of his son meeting his hero gained over 10 million views on YouTube.

The man known as Spiderdad has also raised over £20,000 for Sutton Scotney-based children's hospice Naomi House, who supported the family.

Mike, wife Lou and seven-year-old daughter Emma accepted the prize for Jayden.

Mike said: "Jayden is the complete inspiration behind everything, not me.

"He could inspire others with the click of his fingers and wouldn't stop smiling – even in his darkest hours.

"He's our little warrior and his legacy will always live on."

He had already known he would be on stage at least once as part of a special performance with his freerunning team.

But Mike admitted to being overwhelmed after being invited up again soon afterwards to collect the award on behalf of the Hope For Jayden campaign.

He said: "We were just so proud to even be nominated – I really wasn't expecting to win.

• Mike Wilson with wife Lou and daughter Emma, seven

"It makes it all worth it and has filled me with encouragement to carry on and do even more."

Mike's next fundraising effort will see him and his three brothers attempt to conquer Mount Kilimanjaro in September as part of an 11-day bid to fundraise £14,400.

But it is the desire to keep his son's memory alive and help other families like his that really drives him on.

Mike added: "There's so much love in this area and the help is there if you reach out.

"Me and Lou have had complete strangers come up to us in the street and tell us how Jayden's story has changed their outlook on life, and in one case actually saved their life.

"We just want to inspire other families to adopt his attitude and get through it when they face difficult times."

To donate, visit justgiving.com/hopefromjayden

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Mayor appeal

BASINGSTOKE AND DEANE: Mayor of Basingstoke Anne Court has urged members of the public to show their support for Armed Forces Day.

The seventh annual Armed Forces Day will be marked on Monday, June 22, with a ceremonial flag raise at the council's Civic Offices in London Road at 10.30am.

Cllr Court said: "Armed Forces Day will be especially poignant this year as we are also marking the 75th anniversary of the Battle of Britain.

"I would like to welcome any borough residents to join me as we remember the work of our armed forces and to show support to those who are currently serving."

Open day

BASINGSTOKE: A Basingstoke learning centre will open its doors for prospective learners and businesses tomorrow.

The open day will run from Midday until 2pm at the Skills2Achieve centre in Kingsclere Road, and is run by Hampshire-charity Enham Trust.

It is for young people looking to improve career prospects.

Parish awards

OLD BASING AND LYCHPIT: Old Basing and Lychpit Parish Council held its annual parish meeting on Thursday, May 28.

Residents Veronica Lickley and Peter Thorn were handed the parish's annual award for voluntary services to the community at the Lychpit Community Hall.

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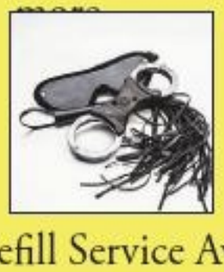

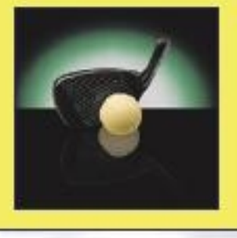

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20 Catch hold of (5)
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23 Voter (7)
24 Enjoyment of cruelty (6)

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5 Confirmed (13)
6 Wheat paste (8)
7 Unexpected (6)
9 European country (5)
14 Decreased (8)
15 Loose shirts (6)
17 A rodent (5)
18 Specialist (6)
21 Opposed to (4)

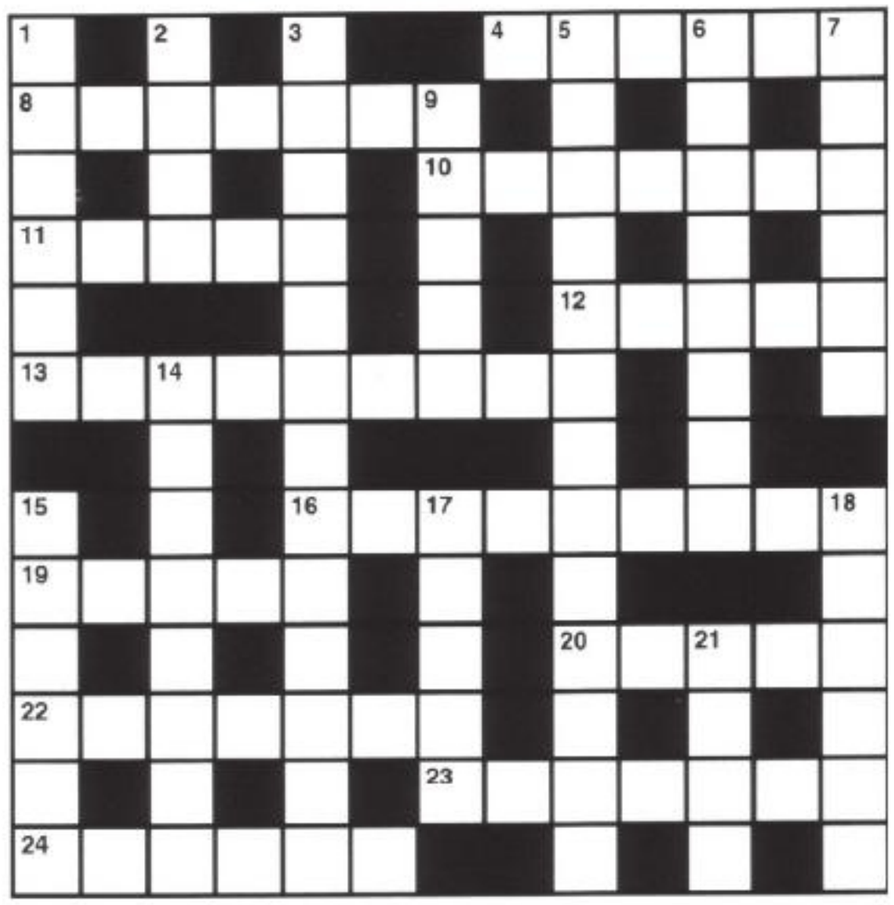
Scribble space

Cryptic Clues Across

4 Investigated professional plot (6)
8 Time's up for charges (7)
10 Painful experiences of gold transactions? (7)
11 A right young man for the crime
12 Bringing down the bird (5)
13 Feeling they put me in mixed tennis with team leader (9)
16 Fruit stolen from barrel? (9)
19 It's forbidden thanks to jeering sound (5)
20 Postponement of French song (5)
22 Shows how Father attacks, we hear (7)
23 See it's a short distance after the crop to the barn (3,4)
24 Men of the trees? (6)

Cryptic Clues Down

1 Rails about five who are competitors (6)
2 Chooses to stop out (4)
3 Not 'Gentlemen, be seated' (8,5)
5 Important occasions for Moscow landlady? (3-6,4)
6 Food for Bunny is seen to flourish (8)
7 Wish to end hostilities in dire circumstances (6)
9 Loves to unravel mysteries (5)
14 Figured the Editor was less feeling? (8)
15 Plain but sounds elevating (6)
17 A blow to astound (5)
18 Go to the streets for these meetings (6)
21 The circle will see to the work (4)



Sudoku

The objective is to fill a 9×9 grid with digits so that each column, each row, and each of the nine 3×3 sub-grids that compose the grid (also called "boxes", "blocks", "regions", or "sub-squares") contains all of the digits from 1 to 9. The puzzle setter provides a partially completed grid, which for a well-posed puzzle has a unique solution.

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This week's solutions

Quick Crossword

Across: 4 Scamps 8 Corners 10 Pounced 11 Reels 12 Terse 1 3 Dalliance 16 Armistice 19 Music 20 Grasp 22 Canyons 23 Elector 24 Sadism

Down: 1 Scared 2 True 3 Perspicacious 5 Countersigned 6 Macaroni 7 Sudden 9 Spain 14 Lessened 15 Smocks 17 Mouse 18 Expert 21 Anti

Cryptic Crossword

Across: 4 Probed 8 Imputes 10 Ordeals 11 Arson 12 Elder 13 Sentiment 16 Grapeshot 19 Taboo 20 Delay 22 Parades 21 Hay loft 24 Elders

Down: 1 Rivals 2 Opts 3 Standing order 5 Red-letter days 6 Brandish 7 Desire 9 Solve 14 Numbered 15 Steppe 17 Abash 18 Trysts 21 Loop

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Friday June 12th

DAYTIME

BBC1

6.00 Breakfast (S) **9.15 Crimewatch Roadshow** (S) **10.00 Homes Under the Hammer** (S)(R) **11.00 Claimed and Shamed** (S) **11.30 Family Finders** (S) **12.15 Bargain Hunt** (S) **1.00 BBC News;** Weather; (S) **1.00 BBC Regional News and Weather;** (S) **1.45 Doctors** (S) **2.15 Perfection** General knowledge quiz, hosted by Nick Knowles. (S) **3.00 Escape to the Continent** A couple consider moving to northern Spain's Asturias region. (S) **4.00 The Box** (S) **4.30 Flog It!** Blackpool Tower Circus. (S)(R) **5.15 Pointless** (S) **6.00 BBC News;** Weather (S) **6.30 BBC Regional News Programmes;** Weather (S)

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7.00 The One Show Hosted by Chris Evans and Alex Jones. (S)
7.30 A Question of Sport Guests include Kevin Magnussen and Christian Horner; (S)(R) BBC News; Regional News (S)

8

8.00 EastEnders Shirley considers telling Dean that his daughter is still alive. (S)
8.30 The Vicar of Dibley Geraldine conducts a radical Sunday service. (S)(R)

9

9.00 New Tricks The team re-examines the case of a writer found dead in a scrapyard, and despite the victim's links with criminals, Brian believes the secret of the murder lies in the man's poetry. (S)(R)

10

10.00 BBC News (S)
10.25 BBC Regional News and Weather; (S) National Lottery Update (S)
10.35 The Graham Norton Show With Mark Wahlberg, Cyndi Lauper and Seth MacFarlane. (S)

11

11.20 SunTrap A guest on the island is hypnotised. (S)(R)
11.50 FILM The Ruins (2008) (18) Horror, starring Jena Malone and Shawn Ashmore. (S)

AFTER 12

1.15 Weather for the Week Ahead (S) **1.20** BBC News (S)

BBC2

6.00 Homes Under the Hammer (S)(R) **7.00 Claimed and Shamed** (S)(R) **7.30 Family Finders** (S)(R) **8.15 Sign Zone: Gardeners' World** (S)(R) **8.45 Sign Zone: Cowboys and Angels** (S)(R) **9.15 Victoria Derbyshire** (S) **11.00 BBC News** (S) **11.30 BBC World News** (S) **12.00 Daily Politics** (S) **1.00 Cagney & Lacey** (S)(R) **1.45 One Man and His Campervan** (S)(R) **2.15 Cash in the Attic** (S)(R) **2.45 Earthflight** (S)(R) **3.45 Are You Being Served?** (S)(R) **4.15 'Allo 'Allo!** (S)(R) **4.45 Yes Minister** (S)(R) **5.15 Antiques Roadshow** (S)(R) **6.00 Eggheads** (S)(R) **6.30 Beat the Brain** (S)

7.00 Japan: Earth's Enchanted Islands Michelle Dockery narrates a documentary examining the wildlife of the east Asian country, beginning with the animals that live on the island of Honshu. (S)(R)

8.00 Mary Berry's Absolute Favourites Recipes using ingredients sourced from the allotment. (S)
8.30 Gardeners' World Carol Klein and Joe Swift attend Gardeners' World Live in Birmingham. (S)

9.00 Kate Humble: Living with Nomads The broadcaster journeys to the far north of Siberia to travel with the Nenets, and finds factors including climate change are increasingly threatening their way of life. (S)

10.00 The Clare Balding Show With guests Paul Gascoigne, Stuart Pearce and David Seaman. (S)
10.30 Newsnight; (S) Weather (S)

11.00 FILM In Our Name (2010) (18) A British soldier is haunted by her experiences in Iraq. Drama, starring Joanne Froggatt and Mel Raido. (S)

12.30 Match of the Day Live: Women's World Cup. USA v Sweden (kick-off 1.00am). (S) **3.00** Sign Zone: Question Time (S)(R) **4.00** This Is BBC Two (S)

ITV

6.00 Good Morning Britain (S) **8.30 Lorraine** (S) **9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show** (S) **10.30 This Morning** (S) **10.55 ITV News;** Weather (S) **11.00 This Morning** (S) **12.30 Loose Women** (S) **1.30 ITV News** (S) **1.55 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **2.00 Judge Rinder** Real-life cases in a studio courtroom. (S)(R) **3.00 Dickinson's Real Deal** From the Potteries. (S) **3.59 ITV Regional Weather** (S) **4.00 Tipping Point** Quiz show, hosted by Ben Shephard. (S)(R) **5.00 The Chase** Quiz show, hosted by Bradley Walsh. (S) **6.00 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **6.30 ITV News** (S)

7.00 Emmerdale Leyla overhears Jai threatening Rachel. (S)
7.30 Coronation Street Jenny leaves Weatherfield with Jack. (S)

8.00 Gino's Italian Escape Gino D'Acampo helps to make a unique deep-fried pizza in Naples. (S)(R)
8.30 Coronation Street Dev's new mystery woman arrives in Weatherfield. (S)

9.00 Doc Martin The GP is left holding the baby after upsetting the new childminder, and hosts a disastrous dinner party with Louisa, while Ruth takes part in a radio phone-in programme. (S)(R)

10.00 ITV News and Weather (S)
10.30 ITV Regional News; Weather (S)
10.40 Vicious Freddie and Stuart join a gym. (S)(R)

11.10 FILM Total Recall (1990) (15) Sci-fi thriller, starring Arnold Schwarzenegger and Rachel Ticotin. (S)

1.15 Jackpot247 3.00 Britain's Best Bakery (S)(R) **3.50** ITV Nightscreen

Channel 4

6.00 Countdown (S)(R) **6.45 Will & Grace** (S)(R) **7.35 Everybody Loves Raymond** (S)(R) **8.30 Frasier** (S)(R) **9.30 Car SOS** (S)(R) **10.30 Come Dine with Me** (S)(R) **12.00 Channel 4 News** (S) **12.05 Come Dine with Me** (S)(R) **1.10 A Place in the Sun: Home or Away** (S)(R) **2.10 Countdown** With guest Jo Brand. (S) **3.00 Deal or No Deal** Beat-the-banker game show. (S) **4.00 Benchmark** Game show, hosted by Paddy McGuinness. (S) **5.00 Couples Come Dine with Me** Pairs from Gloucestershire compete. (S) **6.00 The Simpsons** (S)(R) **6.30 Hollyoaks** (S)

7.00 Channel 4 News (S)

8.00 Marvel's Agents of SHIELD Part two of two. The team faces a final battle where the lines between friend and foe are blurred and terrible sacrifices must be made for the sake of the world. Last in the series. (S)

9.00 TFI Friday Chris Evans hosts a one-off edition of the entertainment show that was at the heart of '90s Britpop. Guests include Blur and Shaun Ryder. (S)

10.00 Alan Carr: Chatty Man Record producer and musician Mark Ronson drops in for an exclusive chat and performs his latest single I Can't Lose, featuring newcomer Keyone Starr. Last in the series. (S)

11.40 Man Down Dan tries to outdo another teacher's assembly. (S)(R)

12.15 Virtually Famous (S) **12.55** Brooklyn Nine-Nine **1.20** Benchmark (S)(R) **2.15** The Hotel (S)(R) **3.10** The Renovation Game (S)(R) **4.05** Four Rooms US (S) **5.00** Deal or No Deal (S) **5.50** The Common Denominator (S)(R)

Channel 5

6.00 Milkshake! 9.15 The Wright Stuff 11.10 Cowboy Builders & Bodge Jobs (S) **12.10 5 News Lunchtime** (S) **12.15 Big Brother** (S)(R) **1.15 Home and Away** (S) **1.45 Neighbours** (S) **2.15 NCIS: Los Angeles** A video of kidnapped agent Dominic Vail is posted on a jihadist website. (S)(R) **3.15 FILM Jesse Stone: Sea Change (2007) (15)** Thriller, starring Tom Selleck. (S) **5.00 5 News at 5** (S) **5.30 Neighbours** Tyler is beaten up by the Dimatos. (S)(R) **6.00 Home and Away** Alf has flashbacks while visiting Canberra's war museum. (S)(R) **6.30 5 News Tonight** (S)

7.00 World War II in Colour This edition focuses on Japan's early involvement in the war, including its attack on the US Navy at Pearl Harbour in December 1941; (S)(R) 5 News Update (S)

8.00 Conspiracy: The Death of Hitler New series. Documentary about conspiracy theories. The first edition looks at beliefs surrounding the Nazis, and asks whether Adolf Hitler really died in 1945; (S) 5 News Update (S)

9.00 Big Brother – Live Eviction Emma Willis makes the announcement as another housemate gets the boot, chatting to them about the whole Big Brother experience. (S)

10.30 Big Brother's Bit on the Side Rylan Clark and his guests discuss tonight's eviction, debating whether the public made the right decision and chatting to the evictee.

11.30 Big Brother – Live from the House Coverage of events following this evening's eviction.

12.00 Cricket on 5 (S) **1.00** SuperCasino **3.10** Big Brother – Eviction (R) **4.20** Jackass (R) **4.45** House Doctor (S)(R) **5.10** House Doctor (S)(R) **5.35** House Doctor (S)(R)

DIGITAL

ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6
6.00 Life's Funniest Moments **6.20** Psych **7.05** Emmerdale **8.10** You've Been Framed! **8.35** Dinner Date **9.35** Psych **10.25** The Real Housewives of Atlanta **12.10** Emmerdale **1.15** You've Been Framed! **1.45** Dinner Date **2.40** The Jeremy Kyle Show **6.00** Love Island **7.00** You've Been Framed! **8.00** Two and a Half Men **9.00** FILM: The Amazing Spider-Man (2012) (12) **11.45** Celebrity Juice **12.30** Two and a Half Men **1.20** Fake Reaction **2.00** Life's Funniest Moments **2.20** Teleshopping **5.50** ITV2 Nightscreen

ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10
6.00 Fresh Fields **6.25** Heartbeat **7.25** The Royal **8.25** Murder, She Wrote **9.30** Judge Judy **10.55** Sherlock Holmes: The Eligible Bachelor **1.05** Heartbeat **2.10** The Royal **3.10** Wild at Heart **4.15** Fresh Fields **4.50** Doctor in the House **5.20** On the Buses **5.55** Heartbeat **7.00** Murder, She Wrote **8.00** Rosemary & Thyme **9.00** Paul O'Grady: For the Love of Dogs **10.00** afterlife **11.00** The Vice **12.10** FILM: The Breakfast Club (1985) (15) **1.55** Wycliffe **2.50** Judge Judy **3.30** ITV3 Nightscreen **3.40** Emmerdale

BBC3 SKY: 115 FV: 7
7.00 Top Gear **8.00** Don't Tell the Bride **9.00** Live at the Apollo **9.30** Family Guy **10.15** EastEnders **10.45** Russell Howard's Good News **11.15** Family Guy **12.00** American Dad! **12.25** Family Guy **12.45** Murder in Successville **1.15** Festivals, Sex & Suspicious Parents **2.15** Live at the Apollo **2.45** Nick Helm's Heavy Entertainment **3.15** Russell Howard's Good News **3.45** In Deep **4.00** Close

BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9
7.00 World News Today; Weather **7.30** Concerto at the BBC Proms **8.00** Dancing in the Blitz: How Second World War Made British Ballet **9.00** Otis Redding: Soul Ambassador **10.00** Classic Soul at the BBC **11.00** I'm in a Girl Group! **12.00** Blondie's New York and the Making of Parallel Lines **12.50** Otis Redding: Soul Ambassador **1.50** Classic Soul at the BBC **2.50** I'm in a Girl Group! **3.50** Close

E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28
6.00 Hollyoaks **6.25** 90210 **7.10** Charmed **8.00** Happy Endings **8.30** Rules of Engagement **9.00** How I Met Your Mother **9.30** Baby Daddy **10.00** Charmed **12.00** Hollyoaks **12.30** Rules of Engagement **1.00** How I Met Your Mother **2.00** The Big Bang Theory **3.00** The Goldbergs **3.30** Baby Daddy **4.00** Rules of Engagement **5.00** How I Met Your Mother **6.00** The Big Bang Theory **7.00** Hollyoaks **7.30** The Goldbergs **8.00** The Big Bang Theory **9.00** FILM: Battle: Los Angeles (2011) (12) **11.20** The Big Bang Theory **12.20** Rude Tube **1.25** Tattoos After Dark **2.25** What Happens in Kavos **3.15** 2 Broke Girls **3.40** The Cleveland Show **4.25** 90210 **5.05** Charmed

MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14
8.55 Location, Location, Location **10.00** Selling Houses with Amanda Lamb **11.05** River Cottage Bites **11.25** FILM: The Last Wagon (1956) (PG) **1.25** Time Team **4.40** A Place in the Sun: Home or Away **6.50** Selling Houses with Amanda Lamb **7.55** Grand Designs **9.00** FILM: The Land Girls (1997) (12) **11.15** 24 Hours in A&E **12.15** Grand Designs **1.20** Selling Houses with Amanda Lamb **2.25** The Good Wife **3.25** Hugh's 3 Good Things: Best Bites **3.35** Close

FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15
11.00 The Andromeda Strain (1971) (PG) **1.40** The Battle of the River Plate (1956) (U) **4.05** Operation Petticoat (1959) (U) **6.30** Marley and Me (2008) (PG) **9.00** Salt (2010) (12) **10.55** 4.3.2.1 (2010) (15) **1.10** Kingpin (1996) (12) **3.35** Close

DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12
7.00 Storage Hunters **7.10** Top Gear **9.00** Scrapheap Challenge **10.00** Storage Hunters **11.00** Lizard Lick Towing **12.00** Top Gear **2.00** Scrapheap Challenge **3.00** Storage Hunters **4.00** Top Gear **6.00** Scrapheap Challenge **7.00** Storage Hunters **8.00** Storage Hunters UK **8.30** Storage Hunters **9.00** QI XL **10.00** Mock the Week **10.40** Red Dwarf **12.00** Russell Howard's Good News **1.00** Storage Hunters **2.00** Lizard Lick Towing **3.00** Russell Howard's Good News **4.00** Close

SKY1 SKY: 106
6.00 The Real A&E **7.00** Gadget Geeks **8.00** RSPCA Animal Rescue **9.00** Hawaii Five-0 **11.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **1.00** Hawaii Five-0 **3.00** RSPCA Animal Rescue **4.00** Moone Boy **4.30** Last Man Standing **5.00** The Simpsons **5.30** Moone Boy **6.00** Last Man Standing **6.30** The Simpsons **9.00** A League of Their Own **10.00** An Idiot Abroad 2 **11.00** Hawaii Five-0 **1.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **2.00** Road Wars **3.00** Brit Cops: Zero Tolerance **4.00** Stargate Atlantis

SKY ATLANTIC SKY: 108
6.00 Seinfeld **7.00** Stargate SG-1 **8.00** Stargate Atlantis **9.00** Star Trek: Enterprise **10.00** House **11.00** Blue Bloods **12.00** Without a Trace **1.00** Seinfeld **2.00** Stargate SG-1 **4.00** Stargate Atlantis **5.00** Star Trek: Enterprise **6.00** House **7.00** Without a Trace **8.00** Blue Bloods **9.00** Penny Dreadful **10.10** Silicon Valley **10.45** Flight of the Conchords **11.20** Banshee **12.20** The Sopranos **1.35** True Blood **4.05** Stargate SG-1 **5.05** Star Trek: Enterprise

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DAYTIME

BBC1

6.00 Breakfast (S) **9.00 Saturday Kitchen Live** (S) **10.30 Trooping the Colour** (S) **1.05 BBC News;** Weather (S) **1.15 Athletics** (S) **2.20 Bargain Hunt** Two teams compete in Edinburgh. (S)(R) **3.20 Homes Under the Hammer** Properties in Basildon, Forfar and Derby. (S)(R) **4.20 Escape to the Continent** A couple hoping to move to the Portuguese capital of Lisbon. (S)(R) **5.20 Celebrity Mastermind** (S)(R) **5.50 Pointless Celebrities** Christopher Biggins and Lesley Joseph compete in the quiz. (S)(R) **6.40 BBC News** (S) **6.50 BBC Regional News and Weather** (S)

7 **7.00 Prized Apart** New series. Adventure game show, presented by Emma Willis and Reggie Yates, in which 10 couples battle it out for the chance to win a life-changing prize. (S)

8 **8.05 The National Lottery: Who Dares Wins** Game show in which strangers pair up to win money. (S)
8.55 Casualty Louis sticks up for a lost teenage girl. (S)

9 **9.45 The John Bishop Show** Including performances by Florence and the Machine and Tom Stade. (S)

10 **10.30 BBC News; Weather;** (S) National Lottery Update (S)
10.50 Not Going Out Lee gets invited to a christening party being thrown by neighbours Toby and Anna. (S)(R)

11 **11.20 FILM Old School (2003) (15)** Three friends relive the wild days of their youth. Comedy, with Luke Wilson, Will Ferrell and Vince Vaughn. (S)

AFTER 12 **12.50 Weather for the Week Ahead** (S) **12.55** BBC News (S)

BBC2

6.00 FILM The Quick Gun (1964) (PG) (S) **7.30 FILM The Deadly Companions (1961) (PG)** (S) **9.00 Animal Park** (S)(R) **9.30 Earthflight: Flying High** (S)(R) **10.30 The Box** (S)(R) **12.00 Joan Fontaine: Talking Pictures** (S)(R) **12.30 FILM Suspicion (1941) (PG)** (S) **2.05 Laurence Olivier: Talking Pictures** (S)(R) **2.40 FILM Rebecca (1940) (PG)** Romantic thriller, with Laurence Olivier and Joan Fontaine. (S) **4.45 Flog It!** (S)(R) **5.30 Gardeners' World** (S)(R) **6.00 Trooping the Colour: Highlights** Highlights from the morning's military ceremony. (S)

7.30 Edwardian Farm Alex and Peter plough the land to plant potatoes and oats in an effort to secure some income, and Ruth prepares for the arrival of the pigs by restoring an ingenious compost-maker. (S)(R)

8.30 Dad's Army The platoon competes for the honour of guarding Winston Churchill. (S)(R)

9.00 The Royal Academy Summer Exhibition Kirsty Wark and Morgan Quaintance meet some of the people responsible for staging this year's event, including co-ordinator and YBA patron Michael Craig-Martin. (S)

10.00 Mock the Week With James Acaster, Josh Widdicombe, Katherine Ryan and Matt Forde. (S)(R)
10.30 FILM Julie & Julia (2009) (12) Biopic telling the stories of 1960s American chef Julia Child and modern-day blogger Julie Powell, who tries to emulate her heroine in the kitchen. With Meryl Streep and Amy Adams. (S)

12.30 The Many Faces of Dick Emery (S)(R) **1.30 FILM French Film (2008) (15)** Romantic comedy, with Hugh Bonneville and Anne-Marie Duff. (S) **2.55** This Is BBC Two (S)

ITV

6.00 CITV 8.25 ITV News (S) **8.30 Weekend** (S) **9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show** (S)(R) **12.25 ITV News;** Weather (S) **12.30 The Jeremy Kyle Show** Guests air their differences. (S)(R) **1.35 Tipping Point** Quiz show, hosted by Ben Shephard. (S)(R) **2.35 1000 Heartbeats** Quiz show, hosted by Vernon Kay. (S)(R) **3.40 FILM Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban (2004) (PG)** Fantasy adventure, starring Daniel Radcliffe. (S) **6.10 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **6.20 ITV News** (S) **6.30 You've Been Framed!** Comical clips, narrated by Harry Hill. (S)(R)

7.00 FILM The Hobbit: An Unexpected Journey (2012) (12) Premiere. Unassuming hobbit Bilbo Baggins is pulled out of his comfortable life when Gandalf the wizard volunteers him for a dangerous quest. He joins a party of dwarves who are on a mission to reclaim their lost homeland, which has been taken over by a dragon. The first part of Peter Jackson's fantasy adventure trilogy based on JRR Tolkien's novel, starring Martin Freeman and Ian McKellen. (S)

10.15 ITV News; Weather (S)
10.30 FILM 300 (2006) (15) Leonidas, fearless king of Sparta, leads 300 of his finest warriors into battle against the vast invading armies of the ruler of the Persian empire. As the outnumbered Spartans fight for their country, his queen, Gorgo, tries to rally support for her husband at home. Fantasy based on Frank Miller and Lynn Varley's comic-book series, starring Gerard Butler and Lena Headey. (S)

12.40 Jackpot247 3.00 The Jeremy Kyle Show USA (S)(R) **3.40** ITV Nightscreen

Channel 4

6.15 How I Met Your Mother (S)(R) **7.30 FIM Superbike World Championship** Round seven from Portugal. (S) **8.00 The Morning Line** Emma Spencer presents from the Knavesmire in York. (S) **9.00 Everybody Loves Raymond** (S)(R) **10.00 Frasier** (S)(R) **11.00 The Big Bang Theory** (S)(R) **11.55 The Simpsons** (S)(R) **1.25 Channel 4 Racing** Live coverage from York, Sandown Park and Musselburgh. (S) **4.15 Come Dine with Me** Contestants host a week of dinner parties in Glasgow in order to win a cash prize. (S)(R) **6.40 Channel 4 News** (S)

7.00 The Trainer and the Racehorse: The Legend of Frankel The story behind Frankel's rise to fame, as legendary trainer Sir Henry Cecil battled illness to bring to prominence one of the greatest horses to have graced the racetrack. Frankel's career may only have lasted 14 races and just over two years, but his stunning performances in Grade One events against outstanding opposition saw him become a favourite with racegoers. (S)

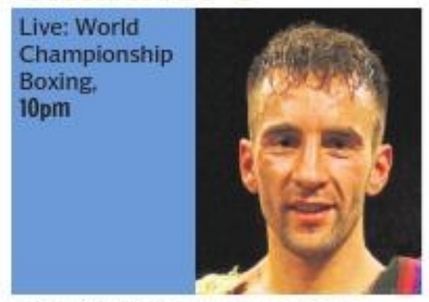
8.00 The Restoration Man George Clarke follows a couple's project to transform a derelict flint mill in Stone, Staffordshire, and uncovers a link between the building and the work of Josiah Wedgwood. (S)(R)

9.00 The 90s: Ten Years That Changed the World Kathy Burke narrates this look back at the 1990s revolution in British music, fashion, film, sport, art and media, as told by the people who made it happen. (S)

10.35 TFI Friday Chris Evans hosts a one-off edition of the entertainment show that was at the heart of '90s Britpop. Guests include Blur and Shaun Ryder. (S)(R)

12.10 FILM In Bruges (2008) (18) (S) **2.05** Marvel's Agents of SHIELD (S)(R) **2.55** Alan Carr: Chatty Man (S)(R) **3.50** Hollyoaks (S)(R) **5.55** How I Met Your Mother (S)(R)

Channel 5



6.00 Milkshake! 10.00 Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles (S) **10.35 The Secret Life of Pets** (S)(R) **11.00 Cowboy Builders & Bodge Jobs** (S)(R) **1.55 FILM Columbo: Requiem for a Falling Star (1973) (PG)** Crime drama, starring Peter Falk. (S) **3.20 GPs: Behind Closed Doors** Dr Ashleigh Helm talks about having a breakdown due to an eating disorder. (S)(R) **4.20 The Dog Rescuers with Alan Davies** (S)(R) **5.15 Inside Manchester's Midland Hotel** Staff prepare for the Labour Party's annual conference. (S)(R) **6.15 The Nightmare Neighbour Next Door** (S)(R)

7.00 Can't Pay? We'll Take It Away Paul and Steve call for police back-up at a flat in London's Docklands. (S)(R)
7.55 5 News Weekend (S)

8.00 She's 78, He's 39: Age Gap Love The stories of six people whose partners are much younger than they are, including a woman whose relationship began when she was 45 and he was 16. (S)(R)

9.00 Big Brother Catching up with the Big Brother contestants as they react to Friday night's live eviction, revealing how another departure has affected the rest of the house. (S)

10.00 Live: World Championship Boxing Lee Haskins v Ryosuke Iwasa. Coverage of the bout for the IBF Interim World Bantamweight title from Bristol. Haskins is the current European champion, and this will be his first shot at a version of the world championship. He faces a Japanese prospect with a record of 19 wins and one loss. Commentary by Dave Farrar, Richie Woodhall and Andy Clarke. (S)

DIGITAL

ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6
6.00 Emmerdale **8.30** Coronation Street **10.55** FILM: Beethoven's 2nd (1993) (U) Comedy sequel, starring Charles Grodin. **12.45** FILM: Babe: Pig in the City (1998) (U) Family comedy sequel, with Magda Szubanski. **2.35** Mr Bean **3.00** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records **3.35** Ant & Dec's Saturday Night Takeaway **5.05** FILM: Hotel Transylvania (2012) (U) Animated comedy, with the voice of Adam Sandler. **6.50** FILM: The Vow (2012) (12) Romantic drama, with Rachel McAdams and Channing Tatum. **9.00** Love Island **10.00** FILM: Couples Retreat (2009) (15) Comedy, starring Vince Vaughn and Malin Akerman. **12.20** The Keith Lemon Sketch Show **12.55** Love Island **1.55** Crazy Beaches **2.15** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records **2.40** Teleshopping **5.40** ITV2 Nightscreen

ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10
6.00 Movies Now **6.10** Judge Judy **6.30** Where the Heart Is **8.40** Lewis **10.45** Agatha Christie's Marple **1.05** Wire in the Blood **2.20** ITV3 Nightscreen **2.30** Teleshopping

BBC3 SKY: 115 FV: 7
7.00 Top Gear India Special **8.30** Match of the Day Live: Women's World Cup. England v Mexico (kick-off 9.00pm). **11.05** Family Guy **1.40** Murder in Successville **2.10** Nick Helm's Heavy Entertainment **2.40** Festivals, Sex & Suspicious Parents **3.40** Jenny Bede: AAA **4.00** Close

BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9
7.00 Fossil Wonderlands: Nature's Hidden Treasures **8.00** Monkey Planet **9.00** FILM: Echoes from the Dead (2013) (15) Premiere. Swedish thriller, starring Lena Endre. **10.35** The Richest Songs in the World **12.05** Duets at the BBC **1.05** Top of the Pops: 1980 **1.45** Timeshift: When Wrestling was Golden – Grapples, Grunts and Grannies **2.45** Fossil Wonderlands: Nature's Hidden Treasures **3.45** Close

E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28
6.00 Jane the Virgin **6.45** Suburgatory **7.40** Rules of Engagement **8.35** How I Met Your Mother **11.00** Melissa & Joey **12.00** Baby Daddy **1.00** The Goldbergs **2.00** How I Met Your Mother **3.00** Made in Chelsea **4.00** FILM: The Simpsons Movie (2007) (PG) Animated comedy, with the voice of Dan Castellaneta. **5.50** Rude(ish) Tube Shorts **6.00** The Big Bang Theory **9.00** FILM: Max Payne (2008) (15) Action thriller, starring Mark Wahlberg. **11.00** Gogglebox **1.10** The Inbetweeners **2.15** 2 Broke Girls **2.40** How I Met Your Mother **3.20** Rules of Engagement **4.05** The Cleveland Show **4.30** Make It or Break It

MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14
8.55 Hugh's 3 Good Things: Best Bites **9.15** Time Team **11.15** FILM: Carry On Behind (1975) (PG) Comedy, starring Kenneth Williams. **1.05** Four in a Bed **3.40** Building the Dream **4.45** Location, Location, Location **7.55** Nazi Megastructures **9.00** Hitler's Hidden Drug Habit: Secret History **10.00** Hitler's Hunting Experiment **11.05** Auschwitz: The Forgotten Evidence **12.10** Nazi Megastructures **1.15** Hitler's Hidden Drug Habit: Secret History **2.20** Hitler's Hunting Experiment **3.25** Kirstie's Vintage Gems **3.40** Close

FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15
11.00 Bless This House (1972) (U) British comedy, starring Sid James. **1.00** Gulliver's Travels (2010) (PG) Fantasy comedy, starring Jack Black. **2.45** The Phantom (1996) (12) Superhero adventure, starring Billy Zane. **4.45** Planet of the Apes (1968) (PG) Sci-fi drama, starring Charlton Heston. **6.55** The Company Men (2010) (15) Drama, starring Ben Affleck. **9.00** 21 & Over (2013) (15) Comedy, starring Justin Chon. **10.45** Hobo with a Shotgun (2011) (18) Action thriller, starring Rutger Hauer. **12.25** Clerks (1994) (18) Comedy, starring Brian O'Halloran and Jeff Anderson. **2.15** Revenge of the Nerds (1984) (18) Comedy, starring Anthony Edwards. **4.00** Close

DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12
7.00 Carpool **7.10** Top Gear **8.00** Scrapheap Challenge **10.00** American Pickers **11.00** Storage Hunters **12.00** Storage Hunters UK **12.30** Lizard Lick Towing **1.30** Beverly Hills Pawn **2.30** Storage Hunters **9.00** QI XL **10.00** Dave Gorman: Modern Life Is Goodish **12.00** Blackadder the Third **2.00** QI XL **2.45** Never Mind the Buzzcocks **4.00** Close

SKY1 SKY: 106
6.00 Are You Smarter Than a 10 Year Old? **7.00** Glee **8.00** Football's Funniest Moments **9.00** The F1 Show **10.00** David Attenborough's Flying Monsters **11.30** David Attenborough's Kingdom of Plants **2.30** Monkey Life **4.30** Modern Family **7.00** The Simpsons **8.00** Football's Funniest Moments **9.00** FILM: Snakes on a Plane (2006) (15) Thriller, starring Samuel L Jackson. **11.05** NCIS: Los Angeles **12.05** Road Wars **2.00** Brit Cops: Zero Tolerance **4.00** UK Border Force

SKY ATLANTIC SKY: 108
6.00 Star Trek: Enterprise **8.00** Blue Bloods **1.00** House **4.00** Without a Trace **9.00** True Detective **12.30** Last Week Tonight with John Oliver **1.05** Ray Donovan **2.15** Curb Your Enthusiasm **4.00** Friday Night Lights **5.00** House

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DAYTIME

BBC1

6.00 Breakfast (S) **9.00 The Andrew Marr Show** (S) **10.00 The Big Questions** (S) **11.00 Sunday Politics** (S) **12.15 Bargain Hunt** (S)(R) **1.00 BBC News;** Weather (S) **1.15 Prized Apart** (S)(R) **2.25 Escape to the Country** (S)(R) **3.05 The Truth About Your Teeth** Jasmine Harman meets a singer who is embarrassed by her teeth. (S)(R) **4.05 Points of View** (S) **4.20 Lifeline** (S) **4.30 Songs of Praise** (S) **5.05 Nigel Slater: Eating Together** (S)(R) **5.35 Animals Unexpected** Wildlife found in unusual places. (S) **6.35 BBC News** (S) **6.50 BBC Regional News and Weather** (S)

BBC2

6.15 The Big Allotment Challenge (S)(R) **7.15 Countryfile** (S)(R) **8.10 Gardeners' World** (S)(R) **8.40 Greatest Gardens** (S) **9.10 The Beechgrove Garden** (S) **9.40 Saturday Kitchen Best Bites** (S) **11.15 The Box** (S)(R) **12.15 Mary Berry's Absolute Favourites** (S)(R) **12.45 Athletics** (S) **1.45 FILM They Came to Cordura (1959) (PG)** (S) **3.45 Flog It!** From the Sheldonian Theatre in Oxford. (S)(R) **4.45 Beat the Brain** (S) **5.15 Hotel India** (S)(R) **6.15 FILM Shanghai Knights (2003) (12)** Martial arts comedy sequel, starring Jackie Chan and Owen Wilson. (S)

ITV

6.00 CITV 8.25 ITV News (S) **8.30 Weekend** With Francesca Annis and Sarah Alexander. (S) **9.25 Judge Rinder** (S)(R) **12.20 ITV News;** Weather (S) **12.35 Long Lost Family** A 41-year-old man tries to track down his estranged Croatian dad. (S)(R) **1.35 FILM Jurassic Park (1993) (PG)** Action adventure, starring Sam Neill. (S) **4.00 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **4.15 ITV News** (S) **4.30 Live International Football** Slovenia v England (Kick-off 5.00pm). Coverage the Euro 2016 Group E qualifier from Stadion Stozice in Ljubljana, where England will look to maintain their 100 per cent record. (S)

Channel 4

6.20 How I Met Your Mother (S)(R) **7.10 Caterham Motorsport** (S) **7.35 Everybody Loves Raymond** (S)(R) **8.30 Frasier** (S)(R) **9.30 Sunday Brunch** Featuring music from Alesha Dixon. (S) **12.30 George Clarke's Amazing Spaces** (S)(R) **1.35 The Simpsons** (S)(R) **2.30 FILM Evolution (2001) (PG)** Sci-fi comedy, starring David Duchovny Orlando Jones and Julianne Moore. (S) **4.35 Location, Location, Location** House-hunting in east London. (S)(R) **5.35 A Place in the Sun: Home or Away** A family has to choose between Spain and Somerset. (S) **6.30 Channel 4 News** (S)

Channel 5

6.00 Milkshake! 10.00 Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles A thief steals Shredder's helmet. (S) **10.35 Chinese Food in Minutes** Two surveyors learn how to prepare classic oriental dishes. (S)(R) **10.50 Ultimate Police Interceptors** (S)(R) **1.50 FILM The Man in the Iron Mask (1998) (12)** Swashbuckling adventure, starring Leonardo DiCaprio. (S) **4.15 FILM Snow Dogs (2002) (PG)** Comedy, starring Cuba Gooding Jr. (S) **6.05 Benefits Britain: Life on the Dole** People who have had their benefits cut or withheld since tougher sanctions began. (S)(R)

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7.00 Countryfile The team explores Nottinghamshire, where Matt Baker visits a medieval-style farm, and Adam Henson discovers the most dangerous job in farming. Including Weather for the Week Ahead. (S)

7.15 Catchphrase New series. Guessing game, hosted by Stephen Mulhern. (S)

7.00 Kevin McCloud's Escape to the Wild The Grand Designs presenter meets people who have quit the rat race to live simpler lives, beginning with a family who have relocated to a desert island. (S)(R)

7.00 Cricket on 5 England v New Zealand. (S)
7.55 5 News Weekend (S)

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8.00 Antiques Roadshow The team visits the Scottish National Gallery of Modern Art, where finds include a watch from a motor race, an invitation to Sir Walter Scott's funeral and a stuffed toy rabbit. (S)

8.00 Dara and Ed's Great Big Adventure Ed Byrne and Dara O Briain retrace a journey taken by three men from Detroit during the 1940s, embarking on a 4,000-mile pan-American adventure. (S)(R)

8.00 All Star Family Fortunes Talk show host Matthew Wright and Emmerdale's Charley Webb are joined by their families to take part in the game show and win money for charity. With Vernon Kay. Last in the series. (S)

8.00 The Secret World of Lego Going behind the scenes at the toy company, following a design student as he seeks a coveted position with the company and two fans hatching money-making schemes. (S)

8.00 Animals Make You Laugh Out Loud Compilation of clips featuring animals in zoos, safari parks and their natural habitat, including cheeky monkeys, a goat with a grudge, a loved-up llama and a frisky dolphin. (S)(R)

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9.00 Jonathan Strange & Mr Norrell Strange returns from the Battle of Waterloo a hero, but faces a tragedy in his life. After a confrontation with Norrell, he goes in search of the truth about the fairy world. (S)

9.00 The BBC at War Part one of two. Jonathan Dimbleby examines the role of the BBC during the Second World War and the conflicts between the corporation and the government. (S)

9.00 Home Fires Alison looks for a way out of her desperate situation, Frances tries to help Pat, and Richard and Laura seem unable to keep their affair a secret any longer. Last in the series. (S)

9.00 Humans New series. Sci-fi drama, starring William Hurt. A couple's secrets are threatened when they buy a synthetic human servant, while another android and his owner go on the run. (S)

9.00 Big Brother: Time Warp Live Launch Live broadcast from the Big Brother House, featuring the latest tasks, games, arguments, laughs, diary-room visits and bedroom chit-chat. Narrated by Marcus Bentley. (S)

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10.00 BBC News (S)
10.20 BBC Regional News and Weather (S)
10.30 Live at the Apollo Comedy sets by Nina Conti, Rob Beckett and Jimeoin. Last in the series. (S)(R)

10.00 Protecting Our Foster Kids Foster parents look after a baby from four months old to his first birthday, while allowing him to form a bond with his mother in the event she becomes able to take him back. (S)

10.00 ITV News; Weather (S)
10.15 The Unforgettable Kenneth Williams Intimate portrait of the much-loved comic actor. (S)(R)
10.50 Euro 2016 Qualifier Highlights Action from the latest round of matches in the qualification process, including Wales v Belgium, Republic of Ireland v Scotland, Northern Ireland v Romania, and Slovenia v England. (S)

10.00 FILM Magic Mike (2012) (15) A male stripper who is the star attraction in a nightclub teaches a talented young dancer the tricks of the trade, while also introducing him to his hedonistic world. The veteran performer falls for his protege's sister, but finds his wild lifestyle comes between them. Steven Soderbergh's comedy drama, with Channing Tatum, Matthew McConaughey, Olivia Munn and Alex Pettyfer. (S)

10.30 The Abba Years The success of the Swedish group, exploring the flamboyant outfits, hit records, successful spin-offs, marriages and break-ups. Featuring interviews with the band members. (S)(R)

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11.15 FILM High Fidelity (2000) (15) A jilted record shop owner tracks down his old girlfriends to work out why his relationships always fail. Romantic comedy, starring John Cusack. (S)

11.00 FILM Secretariat (2010) (U) A housewife takes over running her ailing father's stables, and turns one of the racehorses into a champion. Fact-based drama, starring Diane Lane. (S)

11.30 Abba: Live In Concert The Swedish band in concert during their six-night residence at London's Wembley Arena in November 1979, featuring hits including Voulez-Vous, Dancing Queen and Waterloo. (S)(R)

AFTER 12

1.00 Weather for the Week Ahead (S) **1.05** BBC News (S)

12.55 Sign Zone: Countryfile (S)(R) **1.50** Holby City (S)(R) **2.50** This Is BBC Two (S)

12.15 Jackpot247 2.30 Motorsport UK (S) **3.20** ITV Nightscreen **5.05** The Jeremy Kyle Show (S)(R)

12.15 Six Million Dollar Conman (S)(R) **1.45 FILM A Better Life (2011) (12)** (S) **3.20** Come Dine with Me (S)(R) **4.10** Obsessive Compulsive Cleaners (S)(R) **5.00** Secret Agent (S)(R) **5.55** How I Met Your Mother (S)(R)

12.40 FILM Muriel's Wedding (1994) (15) (S) **2.40** SuperCasino **4.00** House Doctor (S)(R) **4.25** Make It Big (S)(R) **4.50** Make It Big (S)(R) **5.15** Make It Big (S)(R) **5.45** Angels of Jarm (S)(R) **5.50** Angels of Jarm (S)(R)

DIGITAL

ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6
6.00 Life's Funniest Moments **6.20** Emmerdale **9.05** Coronation Street **11.35** Take Me Out **12.50** Take Me Out – The Gossip **1.35** FILM: The Perfect Man (2005) (PG) Romantic comedy, with Hilary Duff and Heather Locklear. **3.40** FILM: Happy Feet (2006) (U) Animated adventure, with the voice of Elijah Wood. **5.50** Love Island **6.50** FILM: She's the Man (2006) (12) Romantic comedy, starring Amanda Bynes and Channing Tatum. **9.00** Love Island **10.00** FILM: Knocked Up (2007) (15) Romantic comedy, starring Seth Rogen and Katherine Heigl. **12.35** Love Island **1.35** Crazy Beaches **2.00** Life's Funniest Moments **2.25** Teleshopping **5.55** ITV2 Nightscreen

ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10
6.00 Movies Now **6.10** Judge Judy **6.30** Sherlock Holmes: The Sign of Four **8.40** Heartbeat **10.45** Agatha Christie's Marple **9.00** Caroline Quentin's National Parks **10.00** The Little House **11.05** FILM: Elizabeth: The Golden Age (2007) (12) Historical drama sequel, starring Cate Blanchett. **1.20** Blue Murder **2.35** Judge Judy **3.15** ITV3 Nightscreen **3.40** Emmerdale

BBC3 SKY: 115 FV: 7
7.00 Great TV Mistakes **7.10** FILM: Bend It Like Beckham (2002) (12) Comedy, starring Parminder Nagra and Keira Knightley. **9.00** Russell Howard's Good News **10.00** Family Guy **10.45** American Dad! **11.10** Family Guy **11.30** Murder in Successville **12.00** Russell Howard's Good News **1.00** Festivals, Sex & Suspicious Parents **2.00** Nick Helm's Heavy Entertainment **2.30** Murder in Successville **3.00** Where Am I Sleeping Tonight? **4.00** Close

BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9
7.00 Mission to Mars: A Horizon Special **8.00** Sky at Night: Rosetta Update, A Comet's Story **8.30** The Wonder of Animals **9.00** Ken Loach in Conversation with Cillian Murphy **10.00** FILM: Sweet Sixteen (2002) (18) Drama, starring Martin Compston. **11.45** Horizon: What Happened Before the Big Bang? **12.45** I'm in a Girl Group! **1.45** Otis Redding: Soul Ambassador **2.45** Classic Soul at the BBC **3.45** Close

E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28
6.00 Suburgatory **6.45** Baby Daddy **7.35** Revenge **8.30** Jane the Virgin **9.30** Hollyoaks **12.00** Made in Chelsea **1.00** Melissa & Joey **2.00** How I Met Your Mother **3.00** Brooklyn Nine-Nine **4.00** The Goldbergs **5.00** The Big Bang Theory **7.00** FILM: Ice Age: Dawn of the Dinosaurs (2009) (U) Animated adventure sequel, with the voice of John Leguizamo. **8.50** The Big Bang Theory **9.50** Gogglebox **11.55** The Inbetweeners **1.00** Virtually Famous **1.50** Tattoos After Dark **2.45** New Girl **3.30** Hollyoaks

MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14
8.55 Location, Location, Location **10.00** Building the Dream **11.00** Ainsley Harriott's Street Food **12.05** Gadget Man **1.35** Jamie's 15 Minute Meals **2.40** Four in a Bed **5.15** Come Dine with Me **8.00** Ainsley Harriott's Street Food **9.00** Car SOS **10.00** Obsessive Compulsive Cleaners **11.05** 24 Hours in A&E **12.10** 8 Out of 10 Cats: Best Bits **1.10** Car SOS **2.15** Obsessive Compulsive Cleaners **3.20** Kirstie's Vintage Gems **3.35** Close

FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15
11.00 On the Fiddle (1961) (PG) Second World War comedy, starring Alfred Lynch and Sean Connery. **1.00** The Day the Earth Stood Still (2008) (12) Sci-fi remake, starring Keanu Reeves. **3.05** Big Business (1988) (PG) Comedy, starring Bette Midler and Lily Tomlin. **5.00** California Man (1992) (PG) Teen comedy, starring Brendan Fraser. **6.45** The Time Traveler's Wife (2009) (12) Romantic sci-fi drama, starring Rachel McAdams and Eric Bana. **9.00** Iron Man (2008) (12) Superhero adventure, starring Robert Downey Jr. **11.25** Hope and Glory (1987) (15) British Second World War drama, starring Sebastian Rice-Edwards. **1.40** Late Chrysanthemums (1954) (PG) Drama, starring Haruko Sugimura. **3.50** Close

DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12
7.10 Motorway Cops **9.00** Storage Hunters **3.30** Storage Hunters UK **4.00** Motorway Cops **6.00** The Best of Top Gear **7.00** Blackadder: The Whole Rotten Saga **9.00** Blackadder the Third **11.00** Not Going Out **1.00** Blackadder: The Whole Rotten Saga **3.00** Never Mind the Buzzcocks **4.00** Close

SKY1 SKY: 106
6.00 Hour of Power **7.00** Are You Smarter Than a 10 Year Old? **8.00** Greggs: More Than Meats the Pie **9.00** Spy: Sky Movies Special **9.30** Pitch Perfect 2 Special **10.00** Glee **11.00** WWE: Raw **12.00** Monkey Life **3.00** Modern Family **5.00** The Simpsons **8.00** Kings and Queens of Speech **9.00** A League of Their Own **10.00** Karl Pilkington: The Moaning of Life **11.00** Ascension **1.00** Road Wars **2.00** Brit Cops: Zero Tolerance **4.00** Road Wars **5.00** UK Border Force

SKY ATLANTIC SKY: 108
6.00 Star Trek: Enterprise **9.00** Without a Trace **2.00** Seinfeld **4.00** Blue Bloods **9.00** Game of Thrones **10.00** The Affair **11.15** Doll & Em **11.45** Silicon Valley **12.20** Ray Donovan **1.25** Curb Your Enthusiasm **2.00** Game of Thrones **3.00** Ray Donovan **4.10** House

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A Room with a Stew

YOU might think that being a successful and well-known comedian is something to be proud of - but not according to one of the club, Stewart Lee.

By **James Richings**
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The funnyman is bringing his UK tour 'A Room with a Stew' to The Anvil on Wednesday, June 17.

"The factors that lead to acclaim and success are so random, that it's arrogant and delusional to take any pride in them," the 47-year-old told the Observer.

"In the arts some terrible people do well, some brilliant people are neglected and it's utterly meaningless.

"I am happy that people are coming as this enables me to provide for my family from a position of relative, if temporary, security.

"However, I don't take any pride in my apparent acclaim or current success.

"Acclaim is often just a result of investors spending money on methods of manipulating the market so it rarely means anything."

...And so began a beguiling interview with the English graduate of Oxford University.

Known for creating comedy show 'Stewart Lee's Comedy Vehicle' and multi-award winning theatre production 'Jerry Springer: The Opera', Stewart's popularity built up to win him the Hackney Empire New Act of the Year, and a job writing material alongside his good friend Richard Herring for BBC Radio 1 and BBC Radio 4.

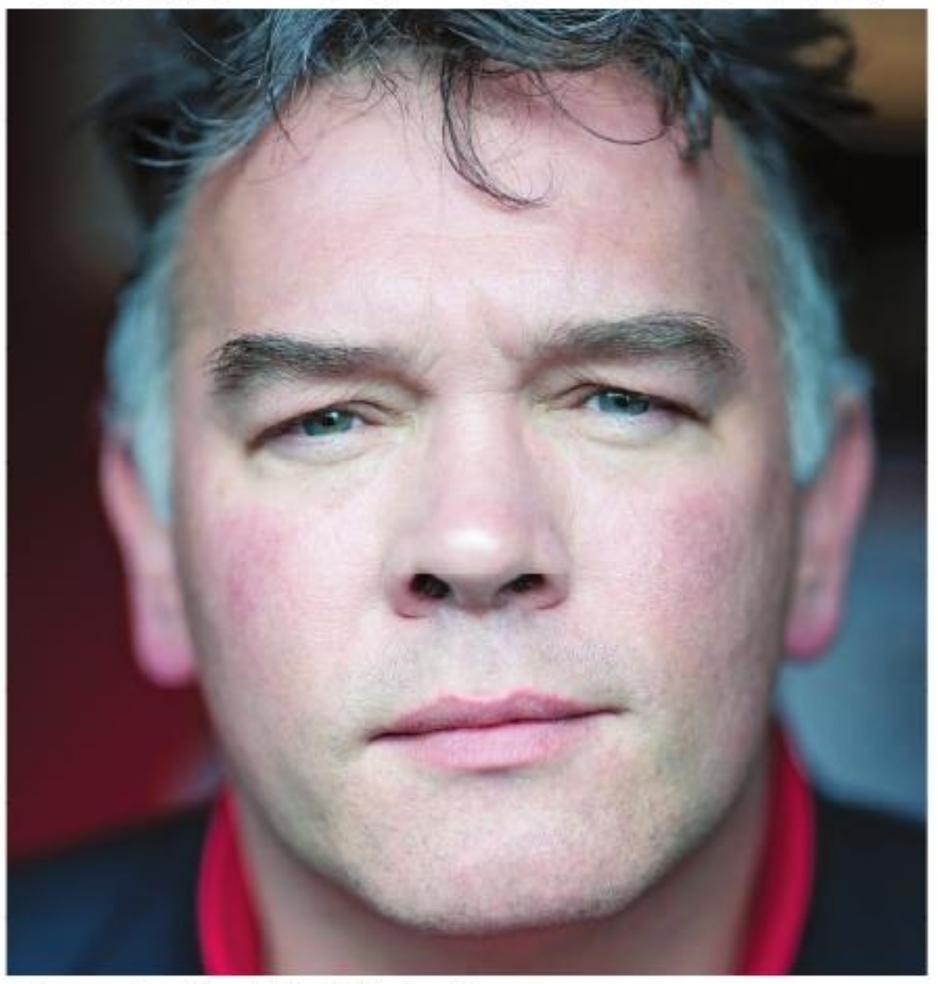
But what of the name - 'A Room with a Stew'?

Well, it turns out the title is more parody than pun, and less a sign of a die-hard Virginia Woolf fan.

"The name of the tour was suggested to me by my friend Alan Moore as a parody of the kind of names I usually give these 'TV work-in-progress' tours, which I do in the run up to TV series, so I decided to thwart him by actually using it," Stewart said.

And work-in-progress it is.

The show, at the Churchill Way theatre starting at 8pm, is very much subject to change: "There are four main subjects in the show: Islamophobia, urine, nationalism and wealth. However, at least one of these will probably have been replaced by something else by the time I get to Basingstoke."



• *Stewart Lee (photo by Rich Hardcastle)*

Village Fête

PIG racing, goose herding, alpacas, bungee trampolines and live music are just some of the attractions at the Sherfield-on-Loddon Village Fête this Saturday, June 13.

The festivities at the village green will be opened at 12.30pm by North East Hampshire MP, Ranil Jayawardena.

Visit sherfieldfete.org.uk for more information.

'50s and '60s

RELIVE music from the '50s and '60s when 'Let's Twist Again' makes its way to The Haymarket next Thursday, June 18.

Starring Strictly Come Dancing's lead singer Chris Madin, the Wote Street venue will have music from the likes of Elvis Presley, Buddy Holly, and Dusty Springfield.

The show starts at 7.30pm, and tickets cost £20 to £22.

Suzanne Vega

AMERICAN musician Suzanne Vega will be visiting The Anvil next Sunday, June 21.

The 55-year-old is best known for 'Tom's Diner', which peaked at number two in the UK charts 28 years ago.

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Hats off to Led Zeppelin

ROCK fans have the chance to relive music of the 1970s.

Leading Led Zeppelin tribute act Hats Off to Led Zeppelin is making its way to The Haymarket on Saturday, June 20.

The quartet is managed by Warren Grant, son of Led Zeppelin's manager Peter Grant.

They are stopping at Basingstoke's Wote Street theatre on a world tour that will take them to Holland, Sweden, Norway, Bahrain, the United Arab Emirates and the US this year.

"I was a big fan of Led Zeppelin, but sadly a little too young to have seen them, and to replace John Bonham? Impossible," band member Jack Tanner told the Observer.

"Essentially we are a really good rock band as our shows are always full of energy and passion.

"We try to emulate the feel of a Led Zeppelin concert, so we use a lot of improvisation in the set as did the original band.

"They never played a tune the same way twice as this helps keep things fresh and alive."

Jack, as Jimmy Page, joined the tribute act in 2011, inspired by the 1970s rock and metal band that dominated the music charts.

By **James Richings**
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Led Zeppelin formed in 1968 with Jimmy Page, Robert Plant, John Bonham and John Paul Jones.

They released nine studio albums during their 12 year run, every one of which peaked at number 10 or higher in the UK.

They also played their way to seven consecutive number one albums from 1969 to 1979.

But in 1980 Led Zeppelin were no more following the death of drummer John Bonham to alcohol poisoning.

Instead their legacy lives on in the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame, and through tribute acts like Hats Off to Led Zeppelin.

The band was invited to its own more humble hall of fame in 2013 - after being named the nation's best Led Zeppelin tribute act by the Agents Association of Great Britain at the National Tribute Awards.

Jack remained coy about what the group would include in their Basingstoke set: "We also don't like to give too much away," he said.

• Jack Tanner in action (picture courtesy of Anneveldt Multimedia)

But he added: "We tend to decide the set on the night but it's safe to say all the biggies will be included, along with a few surprises.

"You can't really do a Zeppelin show without Stairway to Heaven after all."

And their trip to the town is made extra special by the fact that the concert will help support local charities Hope From Jayden and Naomi House hospice.

The band is aiming to fundraise more than £200.

Tickets cost £19.50, and the show starts at 7.30pm.

Detour tour

ROCK musician Elvis Costello is heading to The Anvil on Friday, June 26, as part of his 'Detour' UK tour.

The 60-year-old, whose real name is Declan MacManus, first burst onto the scene in 1977 following the release of his debut album 'My Aim is Ture'.

Tickets cost £44 for the 8pm show at the Churchill Way venue.

Imitation Game

HISTORICAL thriller 'The Imitation Game' will be screened at The Phoenix Theatre and Arts Centre in Borden on Wednesday, June 17.

Starring Benedict Cumberbatch and Keira Knightly, the film is based on the real life story of Alan Turing, a cryptographer in the Second World War who cracked intercepted coded messages from the Nazis.

The film starts 7.30pm.

Saw Doctors

TWO members from Irish rock band The Saw Doctors will be at The Forge on Wednesday, June 17.

Leo Moran and Anto Thistlethwaite will team up to perform acoustic versions of the group's most popular hits such as 'Red Cortina' and 'Clare Island' for the show at 8.15pm.

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BMW lifts the lid on new XI

BMW'S new X1 is bigger, lighter and cheaper to run than its predecessor – and soon you can decide if it is better to drive.

REVIEW: New BMW XI
By **James Richings**

The 2015 model is out this Autumn.

So customers have been given a teaser of what's to come.

The first photos are out and the specifications published.

The one thing we are waiting for now is a price tag – other than that all-important first drive.

Since it launched full-throttle onto the car scene in 2009, BMW's X1 compact Sports Activity Vehicle has sold more than 730,000 vehicles over the world – of which nearly 40,000 were to UK customers.

Now for a closer look at its appearance.

It has robust proportions and sculpted bodywork, and the front of the new X1 is defined by the large, upright BMW kidney grille, three-section lower air intake and characteristic "four-eyed" look formed by the twin circular head lights and fog lamps.

Standard specification includes LED daytime driving lights and for Xline and M Sport models, with full-LED headlights for low and high beam. This is optional for Sport line models.

The new car has grown most notably in height compared to its predecessor, as the latest vehicle has expanded by an extra 53mm, creating extra space inside.

From the side the window surfaces taper towards the rear forming a dynamic appearance, and a central section rises up significantly, mimicking the frontal styling.

Customers will be able to choose from two non-metallic and 11 metallic exterior paint finishes, while the Estoril Blue metallic shade is also offered exclusively for the M Sport model.

A look inside the new X1 shows flat surfaces of the instrument panel and centre console controls are angled towards the driver.

The controls located in the lower section are surrounded by high-spec surfaces separated from the front passenger side by a newly designed bar.

Standard specification in the UK for the new BMW X1 includes cloth seat surfaces in the colour combination anthracite/black, and interior trim strips in oxide, silver dark matt with accent strips in high-gloss black.

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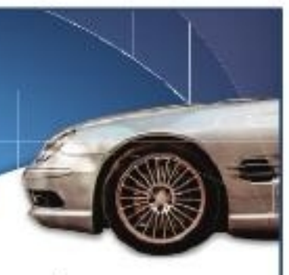

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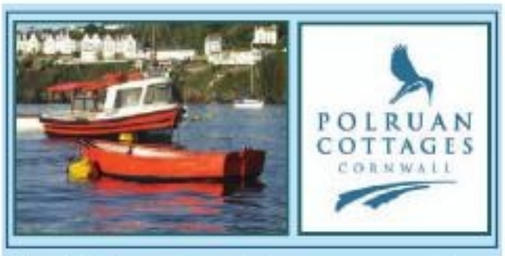

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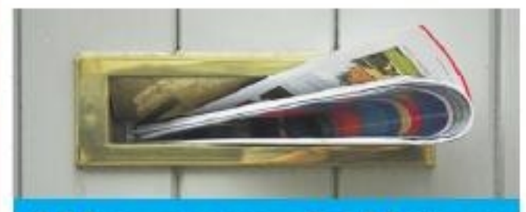

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Last lap crash denies Collard strong finish

ROB Collard suffered a weekend to forget in the latest round of the British Touring Car Championship at Oulton Park.

By **Christian Wilson**
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The Hook-based racing driver posted two low finishes either side of a collision with his West Surrey Racing (WSR) teammate Andy Priaulx that saw him drop out of race two altogether.

Collard had gone into the latest round of races at the Cheshire track with high hopes, having finished on the podium twice there the season before.

But after qualifying 1.18 seconds behind pole setter Jason Plato in 19th spot on the grid on Saturday, the 46-year-old was always going to face an uphill task to challenge for the top three.

Race one almost mirrored qualifying for the WSR driver in a disappointing opener the following day, as he finished in 13th place come the chequered flag – over 16 seconds behind the BMR VW of Plato.

But Collard came much closer to challenging his rival in race two, as he threatened to repeat his Oulton Park drive from the previous campaign and finish on the podium, when a superb start saw him charge up from eighth on the grid to fourth.

With just over half a lap remaining however, Collard was dramatically ruled out of the race completely after teammate Priaulx collided with the back of his car and damaged his suspension.

The veteran racer's crash ensured that he started the final race way back in 27th place on the grid.

And he responded with a superb drive to make his way up the field and somehow finish inside the points in 14th.

Collard said: "It was a disappointing day in the end, but there are still plenty of positives to take away.

"It's just a real shame I got hit from behind in race two as we'd have been right up there in the final race.

· Collard in action at Oulton Park (picture courtesy of btcc.net)

"It cost us a lot of points but ultimately there's nothing we can do now – we just need to take what we've learned here and keep moving forward."

The WSR driver currently sits in 10th spot in the standings on 81 points, with the next round set to take place at Croft Circuit in North Yorkshire later this month on June 27.

Collard added: "The next few tracks should be good for us so I'm looking forward to getting back out there."

· Martyn James bowling on a difficult day for Basingstoke and North Hants (photo by Marcus Leon)

Bountymen humbled by Hook to end season's perfect start

BASINGSTOKE and North Hants' perfect start to the season was ended in emphatic style on Saturday as they were thrashed by Hook and Newnham Basics.

The Bountymen were bowled all out for just 50 runs in an awful performance at May's Bounty that saw them eventually lose by 151 runs to their local rivals.

The defeat marked the end of a five match winning run in the Southern League Division One for the hosts, while Hook returned back to winning ways after losing for the first time to Hartley Wintney the week before.

And the visitors looked eager to make up for that surprise defeat straight from the outset as they won the toss and chose to bat, with opener Kieran Thomson (42) causing the early damage.

While home bowlers Martyn James and David Pistorius ensured Ben Thane (2) and Matt Love (3) were quickly back in the pavilion, the arrival of Matthew Buckingham (58) at four ensured Basingstoke would have a high tally to chase.

Buckingham was eventually run-out by Richard Vinn soon after passing the half century mark, before Mitch Stokes (3-22) claimed three quick-fire wickets and removed final batsman Liam Doran (14) with another run-out to leave Hook with a score of 201.

But having played an important role in ending the Hook innings early, Stokes failed to then follow up his form with the ball with the bat – instead being removed for just two runs.

The loss of fellow opener Richard Vinn (6) left the Bountymen in a precarious position, before captain Chris Froud temporarily settled the hosts down with a knock of 25.

But the devastating bowling of Spencer Champ (6-21) and Shane Brewer (4-29) tore through the Basingstoke order after Froud's removal, with nobody else reaching double figures as they finished 50 all out in under 15 overs.

The defeat saw Hook leapfrog their rivals into second place, with a trip to league leaders New Milton up next for the Bountymen.

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Hartley Wintney lose to Liphook

CRICKET: Hartley Wintney couldn't follow up the previous week's surprise win over Hook and Newnham Basics with another victory as they were beaten by Liphook and Ripsley on Saturday.

The visitors lost by 46 runs after they were unable to match Liphook's score of 207 all out – instead being removed for 161 in their reply.

Wintney won the toss and elected to field first, something that they would later regret as Suman Ganguly made the most of the conditions to finish with a game-high score of 89.

Tommy Flanders finished with bowling figures of 4-17 for Wintney, before adding 26 runs with the bat in the reply.

And although Aaron Wivell (44) and Dan Wrenn (23) also added useful knocks, the visitors were unable to close the gap in time to ensure that they remained in fifth place in the Southern League Division One table.

Bison re-sign trio and name captain

ICE HOCKEY: Basingstoke Bison continued their preparations for next season by re-signing three players to their roster.

Last season's player of the year Aaron Connolly will return to Planet Ice, alongside Basingstoke-born forward pairing Grant Rounding and Stuart Mogg.

Centre Connoly, 22, has also been rewarded for his consistent performances by being named as the new captain of the Herd, after previous skipper Nicky Chinn left the club to join the Streatham Redskins.

Town sign keeper Howe

FOOTBALL: Basingstoke Town made goalkeeper Aaron Howe their first new signing of the summer last week.

The 27-year-old arrived on Tuesday from National League South side Sutton United as last season's player of the season Stuart Moore's replacement.

Howe has previously played for Woking, Hayes and Yeading and Havant and Waterloovile, and is the son of former Basingstoke manager Ernie Howe.

Current Town boss Jason Bristow said: "Aaron will be a great asset to the squad.

"Not only is he great keeper, but he's previously won the league and knows what it takes."

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ROSE'S HEARTBREAK AT OHIO PLAY-OFFS

JUSTIN Rose narrowly missed out on his eighth career PGA tour win on Sunday after suffering play-off heartbreak at the USA's Memorial Tournament.

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The North Hampshire golfer looked odds on to claim victory going into the final day as he teed off with a three-shot lead at Muirfield Village in Dublin, Ohio.

But a level-par round of 72 ensured that he finished equal with Sweden's David Lingmerth, before Rose eventually lost out on the third extra hole of the resulting play-off.

Rose was the model of consistency throughout Thursday's play as he shot six birdies in his opening round to leave him with a 68 shot score of -4.

He then carried on his good form into the next round with four consecutive birdies at the seventh, eighth, ninth and 10th – adding two more on the last two holes to help him cut his score to -5.

And the 2010 champion emerged on the third day eager to become only the seventh player to win the Memorial more than once, as he shot a superb round of 66 to leave him in pole position, with birdies coming at the second, fifth, sixth, seventh, 11th, 14th and 15th.

Bogeys at three, four, seven, eight, 14 and 16 on a disastrous day four saw Lingmerth close in on Rose however, to force a sudden death play-off.

And the 34-year-old was given a great opportunity to claim the title after the Swede found the bunker on the first extra hole, while the Englishman secured par to put the pressure on.

But Lingmerth recovered well to match Rose's score and force another hole, before being presented with an almost identical opportunity on the second play-off hole as Rose found the bunker himself.

Like the 2013 US Open winner though, he was unable to capitalise.

Lingmerth was not so merciful on the following hole however, as he punished his opponent's wayward tee shot to claim victory and leave Rose rueing what might have been.

• North Hampshire golfer Justin Rose lost a three-shot lead to finish in the play-off

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